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CUBS ON THE COMMON: Bethel area Cub Scouts of Pack 560 race against one another while pulling teammates during the sled-pull portion of the morning-long athletic competition Saturday morning on the Bethel Common. Thirty youngsters participated. Den #1 won, with 50 points. Webelos Den #2 was runner-up with 46 points. Thereafter it was Cub Scout Den #2, Cub Scout Den #1, Cub Scout Den #4 and Cub Scout Den #3. On Sunday, the Cub Scouts all attended services at Bethel United Methodist Church.

Greenwood-Woodstock dump permit denial reversal possible, says Twitchell

The Greenwood-Woodstock transfer station permit impasse took a turn towards resolution this week as State Senator Don Twitchell (D-Norway) got to work analyzing how the towns' officials might re-approach the Board of Environmental Protection to secure a permit. "I think we stand a good shot at it," said Mr. Twitchell.

The state board was expected to issue its report on the matter this week, detailing why it had turned thumbs down on the permit request last month.

POSTAL RATES TO INCREASE

The cost of mailing a first class letter will increase to 22 cents for the first ounce at 12:01 a.m. Sunday, Feb. 17. The charge for additional ounces remains at the current rate of 17 cents. Postal cards are to increase from 13 to 14 cents each.

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GREENWOOD SELECTMEN

PUT FINISHING TOUCHES ON
MARCH 2 MEETING WARRANT
Greenwood selectmen Tuesday
put the finishing touches on the
warrant for the March 2 town
meeting.

A major question posed for the
town meeting voters is what to
do with the former Locke Mills
Elementary School. Voters will be
asked if they want to authorize the
selectmen to sell the school build-
ing, or lease it out, or move the
town offices into it.

Wages of town officials are ab-
out the same as last year, except
for Planning Board members. The
chairman is pencilled in for \$175,
compared with last year's \$125,
and members are boosted to \$125,
from \$100.

Voters will be asked if school dis-
trict directors should be paid \$15,
from the SAD 44 budget, for each
board meeting attended. Directors
now receive \$10 from the district's
coffers for each board meeting at-
tended. In addition Greenwood di-
rectors receive \$100 for the year,
plus an extra \$5 for each subcom-
mittee meeting attended, from the
town budget.

The road commissioner is slated
for a proposed wage of \$7.25 an
hour.

Town meetings may be a week
later in the future, if voters ap-
prove an article to hold town meet-
ing on the second Saturday of
March, instead of the first Satur-
day.

At the urging of local businesses,
voters will be asked to decide
whether businesses may have keys to
the transfer station. Bob Coo-
lidge has pointed out that he has
to take empty cartons home from
his store and keep them until the
dump opens.

There are a total of 46 articles
on the warrant, compared with 44
last year.

NEWS FROM THE

ANDOVER TOWN OFFICE

Maine National Bank was low
bidder for \$100,000 in tax anti-
cipation loans for the Town of An-
dover. The Andover Board of Se-
lectmen accepted Maine National's
bid of 5.25 percent at Tuesday
night's board meeting. Other bi-
ders were Key Bank, 5.60 percent,
and Casco Northern Bank, 6.10
percent.

At a public hearing called at
the request of Farmer's Hill re-
sident Sydney Pew, the board de-
cided to look into alternatives for
making provisions to plow Farm-
ers' Hill Road from Greengrass

But he thought the town could
see Revenue Sharing, page 3

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Due to the lack of mail service
Monday, Feb. 18, because of the
observance of Washington's
Birthday, The Citizen requests
ALL contributors to submit ma-
terial for the Feb. 21 issue as
early as possible.

Out of respect for a deceased
member of Mundt-Allen Unit 81,
American Legion Auxiliary, the
Oyster Stew Supper & Program
is postponed until Wednesday
evening, Feb. 27, same time.

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State grant would help Mt. Abram
install \$400,000 snowmaking system
Mt. Abram is pushing ahead with
plans to install \$400,000 worth
of snowmaking capabilities at the
popular area ski slope, with the
aid of federal money channeled
through the state and the Town of
Greenwood.
State officials will visit Mt. Ab-
ram today (Thursday) for a first-
hand look at the Locke Mills ski
area's facilities and plans for the
future.
Mt. Abram, with the backing of
the Town of Greenwood, has ap-
plied for a \$100,000 grant from the
State Planning Office, which would
be coupled with \$300,000 in out-
side financing to pay for the snow-
making system.
Alain Ouellette, coordinator of the
State Planning Office and one
of the two officials expected at
the mountain today, told The Citi-
zen he and other officials had given
a preliminary review to the
proposal last week and liked what
they found. "The State Planning
Office has received positive re-
ponse so far from everybody," he
said.
He noted that the ski area would
have to line up the remainder of
its financing by the end of Febru-
ary in order to stay in competition
for the state funding. The grants
will be announced in mid-March,
he said. "Competition is always
fierce (for the grants)," he ad-
ded. There is only \$750,000 avail-
able this year, and repayment
terms are tailored to fit the re-
cipient's ability to pay.
The formal recipient would be
the Town of Greenwood, whose re-
sidents held a public hearing last
October and decided to support Mt.
Abram in its quest of the state
grant. If the grant is awarded the
snowmaking project, the money
would go to the town, which would
set up an account in a local bank
and disburse funds to the ski area
as needed. The town would also
have to ensure that Mt. Abram
conducts an environmental study
continued on Page Five

M.S.A.D. #44 Directors' Meeting
A regular meeting of the SAD 44
Board of Directors was held on
Monday evening of this week in the
library at Telstar Regional High
School.
The board negated their action
of Jan. 28 and referred a student
discipline case to the superinten-
dent for appropriate action.
The following were approved as
spring season sports coaches (with
stipends in parenthesis): Telstar
Regional High School: head base-
ball, Robert Remington (\$1,040);
Lodge to Lovejoy Cemetery. The
road was closed for winter main-
tenance in 1978.
The selectmen assured Mr. Pew
they would have the road looked
at and assess the costs involved
in cutting back the brush, laying
a gravel coating and ditching the
road in order to make it possible
to plow it.
Mr. Pew said he would be will-
ing to cut the brush himself and
hoped the road could be plowed
even without laying gravel and
ditching. The selectmen told him
they would discuss the possibility
with the road commissioner.
The selectmen appointed Made-
line and Ronnie Wells as new town
hall custodians, replacing Alan
Stinson, who resigned a couple
of weeks ago. Anyone wanting to
rent the town hall should contact
the new custodians, at 392-2732.

WEST PARIS SELECTMEN
AWARD BID FOR
TAX ANTICIPATION FUNDS
Key Bank was the low bidder
for a \$157,000 tax anticipation loan
to the Town of West Paris. The
Board of Selectmen accepted Key
Bank's bid of 5.9 percent at their
meeting last Thursday.
Two other banks also submitted
bids: Casco Northern bid 6.25 per-
cent, while Oxford Bank bid 6.51
percent.
set a hearing date of Feb. 21, at
7 p.m., on an application by Frank
Perham for renewal of his auto-
mobile junkyard permit at the
Route 219 Garage.

TO BE CLOSED ON MONDAY
In observance of the "Monday
holiday" version of Washington's
Birthday, the following will be closed
on Monday, Feb. 18: Bethel
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EAST ANDOVER

— Mrs. Marjorie Jodrey, Cor. —
Mr. and Mrs. Terry Buzard of East Andover road are receiving congratulations on the birth of their first child, a daughter, Elissa Ann, on Monday, Jan. 28, at Central Maine Medical Center in Lewiston. She weighed in at six pounds, four ounces.

On Feb. 5, the kindergarten, first and second grades of Andover Elementary School enjoyed the program "Smiley Visits the Hospital." Smiley is one of several Health Education Programs for schools being sponsored by the Rumford Community Hospital's Department of Human Resources. Smiley is a story about a small boy was admitted to the hospital. Through the use of a puppet and flannel board characters, Barbara Belanger and Patricia Rinaldo, members of Rumford Community Hospital's volunteers, describe Smiley's hospital experiences and its personnel. The program's aim is to present the hospital to young students in a friendly and non-threatening manner. All the children enjoyed the program very much.

On Wednesday evening a parent and teacher meeting was held at the Andover Elementary School to discuss the need of another teacher in the school. The problem is centered around use of one teacher having two classes and not time enough to give the pupils the needed time. Another meeting is scheduled on Feb. 13 at the superintendent's office at Telstar Regional High School. A delegation to represent the parents will attend.

The Snow Valley Sno-Goers Snowmachine Club will hold its annual field day Feb. 16 at the club house in East Andover starting at 8 a.m. with the annual poker run. More races are to take place in the afternoon. Refreshments will be available at the club house. The public is welcome to take part in the fun. Come and enjoy a day in the fresh air with your friends and your snowmachine.

Sympathy is extended to Mr. and

Mrs. Otis Morton and family in the loss of her mother, Mrs. Christine Riggs.

Walter McHugh of Farmington spent the weekend with his sister, Mrs. Paul Nevel. Mr. and Mrs. Kerry Nevel and son, Ryan, of Florida, arrived Sunday for a week's visit with his mother, Mrs. Paul Nevel and his sister, Mr. and Mrs. Glen Fyrberg and children.

Greeters at the First Congregational Church on Sunday, Feb. 10 were Mr. and Mrs. Richard Plantier and family. Rev. Churchill's sermon topic was "Let My People Go." Recognition of deacons and deaconesses was held. Beginning this week a deacon and deaconess as well as Rev. Churchill will be "on call" for all and their concerns. This week's deacon is Merton Perkins, 392-4401, and deaconess is Dolly Jones, 392-2661, and Rev. Churchill, at 392-3081 or 392-4678. Greeters for next Sunday, Feb. 17, will be Trudy and Leon Akers.

Mrs. Leon Simmons and her mother, Mrs. Merton Perkins returned home on Friday after Mrs. Simmons' surgery in Bethesda, Md.

Elderwood Manor Items

Callers at Florence Hall's over this week were Louis Hall Jr. and friend from Roxbury, Gordon Miller of Andover, Mr. and Mrs. William Knox of Camden and Flora Whitten.

Mrs. Louise Powell of Frye visited her mother, Mrs. Alma Hewey on Sunday.

Mrs. Margaret McGregor of South Rumford visited Mrs. Madeline Wentzell one day.

Mrs. Thelma Clark and Mrs. Anne Fox were in Gorham, N.H., on Saturday.

Mrs. Charlotte Hayes of Waldo-boro was overnight guest of her mother, Monday night.

Mrs. Elaine Gaudette of Roxbury visited her mother, Mrs. Catherine McGuire on Sunday.

Mrs. Guy Vannah is a patient at Mercy Hospital in Portland.

Freeman Farrington visited his mother Friday night.

Dot Elliott has been on the sick list this week.

an overnight guest of Mary Tripp that night.

Mrs. Melvina Cummings, Madison, was a weekend guest of Mrs. Louise Learned. Gena Morgan, East Bethel, was a guest last weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Brian Hanscom and Jay attended a birthday party for Stephanie Walley at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Rodney Hanscom of Bethel, Thursday evening. Cake and ice cream were served.

The Windy Valleys Snowmobile Club had a club ride Feb. 2 followed by an oyster stew supper in the club house. June Swan was in charge of the supper, which reportedly "went over terrific."

Twenty-five attended from Bear River, Sunday River and Andover. Bryce Yates showed slides on Africa. On Feb. 24 the club will hold their annual Ride In to Rumford, for retarded children. Those going on the ride will meet at Cliff Akers' at 8:30 a.m.

Mrs. Walter Nevel and Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Cummings, all of Bethel, called recently on Roger and Amy Hanscom.

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WINDY VALLEYS SNOWMOBILE CLUB RIDES AGAIN

The Windy Valleys Snowmobile Club, for the fifth year, is participating in Ride In '85, Inc., which entails collecting money from neighbors, businesses and service clubs by snowmobilers, cross country skiers and friends. Windy Valleys has collected close to \$5,000 since 1981.

Through 1984 Ride In, Inc., has collected \$87,000 and the goal of the committee is to reach a total of \$100,00 this year.

Besides pledges money is raised by a benefit dance at the Rumford American Legion—Saturday, Feb. 23. For ticket information, call June Swan, 824-2124.

This year they are having a benefit concert by the Schooner Fare at the Muskie Auditorium in Rumford, March 9, 7:30. For tickets call June Swan, 824-2124.

The money raised by donations constitutes 30 percent of the overall budget of the Horizon's Unlimited, Adult Activity Center and the Hope School. The children attending Hope School are going to be main-streamed into the public schools, and that building will be converted into another group home.

The riders and skiers will all congregate at Horizons Unlimited where they will turn in pledges and served lunch by the Auxiliary. The residents will be given snowmobile rides, which they really enjoy.

Those wishing to ride-in with the Windy Valleys Group should meet at Cliff Akers' field 8:30 a.m., Sunday, Feb. 24.

When a club member comes with pledge sheets to ask for your contribution, please open your hearts. Ninety-eight percent of the money goes to the Northern Oxford County Association for Retarded Children.

You are urged to give and thank those who have given so freely in past years.

West Bethel

Mr. and Mrs. Cleveland Lovejoy and Mrs. Ellen Whitney of Bethel were in West Paris Sunday afternoon to visit his sister Lillian at Ledgewood Memorial Home.

They also called on Frank Waterhouse and Mr. and Mrs. Albert Downing.

George and Mary Stowell and daughter Sandra of Falmouth were visitors at the home of his parents, on Sunday.

Miss Marjorie Fuller of South Paris was a luncheon guest of her sister, Maxine Lovejoy, Tuesday of last week.

Pastor Burt Griffith of the Pleasant Valley Bible Church returned to the pulpit last Sunday, after a three week trip to Florida and Ecuador.

Rebecca Inman of West Paris spent the day Tuesday with her parents.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Merrill recently were their daughter, Mrs. Roscoe Staples of Stackville, Miss.; grandson Rocky Staples and wife, Laurie, of St. Augustine, Fla., and granddaughter Becky Staples of Albany, N.Y. Sunday callers were Mrs. Verna Swan of Bryant Pond, and Eldred Rolfe of Wilton.

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FOOD STAMPS WELCOMED

STUDENTS-OF-MONTH SELECTED AT TELSTAR

Freshman of the month for January at Telstar Regional High School is Matthew Walsanen of Greenwood. Matthew was nominated for his "consistently high performance" on all his work. He is also noted as having outstanding class participation.

Glori Bollo of Bryant Pond was selected as sophomore of the month. Glori was nominated by her French II instructor for her dependability and perceptiveness in class. Glori has had a straight "A" average throughout both French I and II.

Chosen as January's junior of the month was Jim Fiske of Bethel. Jim's three nominations in French III, Chem Study and CPI English are really commendable. He was nominated for his continuous hard work in areas that do not come easily to him, and scoring exceptionally high on these three mid-term exams.

Heidi Bennett of Bethel was picked as January's senior of the month. She was nominated by her Algebra instructor for overall improvement and hard work. Heidi also has one of the highest grades in that class.

Songo Pond
— Mrs. Ralph Kimball, Corres. —
There is not much for news—it seems so good to have the temperature get up to the freezing mark or better. I got home from the hospital Saturday—what a long 10 days!

Mr. and Mrs. Craig Turner, Mark Turner, Sarah and Amber Bean of Otisfield visited here Saturday afternoon also Mr. and Mrs. Bernie Gatchell of Gorham. Happy Birthday, Ethel!

We are glad to learn Mrs. Arthur Kimball has returned to her home in South Paris after being a patient at Stephens Memorial Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Pat Grenier were in Rumford Tuesday.

Life is like a journey taken on a train.

With a pair of travelers at each windowpane.

I may sit beside you all journey through.

Or I may sit elsewhere never knowing you.

But if fate should mark me to sit by your side

Let's be pleasant travelers, it's so short a ride.

SENIOR CITIZEN MENUS
Monday, Feb. 18: Holiday!! All congregate sites closed.

Tuesday, Feb. 19: Pork choplet, baked potato, mixed vegetables, applesauce with cinnamon, bread.

Thursday, Feb. 21: Pea soup, crackers, ham patty with cheese on a bun, fruit cocktail cake.

Suggested donation for meals is now \$1.25.

CARD OF THANKS Feb. 12, 1985
I want to express my sincere thanks to the many friends who have remembered me so kindly since my recent illness. Their thoughtfulness is greatly appreciated.

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TELSTAR'S STUDENTS-OF-THE-MONTH for January are, clockwise from upper left, senior Heidi Bennett, junior James Fiske, freshman Matthew Walsanen and sophomore Glori Bollo.

WEST BETHEL CHILDREN'S CENTER MENUS

February 18-22:
Monday: Breakfast—raisin bran, banana; Lunch—vegetable soup, crackers, cheese cubes, oranges.

Tuesday: Breakfast—banana bread, apple juice; Lunch—chili con carne, corn bread, apples.

Wednesday: Breakfast—blueberry muffin, grape juice; Lunch—baked macaroni and cheese, hot dog, harvard beets, oranges.

Thursday: Breakfast—egg over easy, toast, orange juice; Lunch—hamburger patty, potato puffs, green beans, peaches.

Friday: Breakfast—cream of wheat, banana; Lunch—tuna salad sandwich, tomato rice soup, raw vegetables, oranges. All meals served with milk.

UNITED METHODIST WOMEN MET FEBRUARY 7

The United Methodist Women held their Feb. 7 meeting in the Church dining room with 20 present. Members signed up for hostessing for the coming year. The programs for the year were discussed and plans made.

A very interesting program followed. Many members brought their collections or hobbies and had them on display. Muriel Faudt, the president asked the members to explain and describe them.

These were: Small vases, Elsie Davis; Bells, Verna Dyke; Wooden bowls, plates and dishes, Virginia Keniston; Bells, Betty Perkins; baskets, bowls and vases made from Christmas cards, Sarah Stevens; Care Bears, Hulda Stevens; Quilt Blocks, Ethel Ward; Pen Pal Pictures and letters, Muriel Faudt; Spoons, Doris Fraser; Pitchers and Cups, Betty Blake; Bells, Pauline Wieden; Tale painting, Lyndall Carter.

Very delicious refreshments were served by the hostesses, Hulda Stevens and Evelyn Reed.

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Olive and Jim Anderson, Sylvia Wight, June Swan, Thelma Lowery, Gilberte Seeley and Rena Powers were in Rumford bowling Feb. 8. Gilberte Seeley was high scorer.

Verna Glover returned home from the Maine Medical Center, Portland, Feb. 7, after being a patient there since Jan. 20.

The Windy Valleys Snowmobile Club will meet at the club house Feb. 21. The meeting will be preceded by a 6:30 potluck supper. On Feb. 24, the club will hold their annual Ride In for retarded children.

The municipal officers will hold open house at the former Raymond Foster School Feb. 17, from 2 to 5 p.m. to give interested persons, both resident and non-resident, a chance to see the new town office.

Mary Tripp, Katie Scott and Bethany Ridlon were supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Peter Bafer, Hanover, Feb. 3. Bethany Ridlon was

an overnight guest of Mary Tripp that night.

Mrs. Melvina Cummings, Madison, was a weekend guest of Mrs. Louise Learned. Gena Morgan, East Bethel, was a guest last weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Brian Hanscom and Jay attended a birthday party for Stephanie Walley at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Rodney Hanscom of Bethel, Thursday evening. Cake and ice cream were served.

The Windy Valleys Snowmobile Club had a club ride Feb. 2 followed by an oyster stew supper in the club house. June Swan was in charge of the supper, which reportedly "went over terrific."

Twenty-five attended from Bear River, Sunday River and Andover. Bryce Yates showed slides on Africa. On Feb. 24 the club will hold their annual Ride In to Rumford, for retarded children. Those going on the ride will meet at Cliff Akers' at 8:30 a.m.

Mrs. Walter Nevel and Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Cummings, all of Bethel, called recently on Roger and Amy Hanscom.

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A NOTE FROM THE PUBLISHER

B. F. Wideman

As you have seen in the photo in this week's Citizen, our new typesetting equipment has arrived, and we have been busy this past week clearing out one of the rooms, having John Greenleaf run in a new electrical circuit, laying static-free carpeting, and in general trying to create a proper environment for our new high-tech machinery.

The \$17,000-worth of equipment was purchased with a loan from The Bethel Savings Bank and is our first commitment to modernize our plant and prepare it for another 90 years of putting out a paper that can keep pace with a progressive community.

The equipment we are installing will permit us to set type and design ads more quickly and with greater variety and aesthetic appeal. It will allow similar flexibility with printing jobs on our job presses.

As for our big press that prints the paper, we think it will be accepted as a donation by a museum in Vermont. In place of our old press, which dates from the turn of the century, we will be hiring the press crew at the Lewiston Sun-Journal to print our paper. They will do it faster than we can do it on our press, and the final product should be easier on the eyes.

Also, a modern press will allow us the flexibility to add more pages to the paper and still print 2500 copies in about a half-hour. Presently, whenever we want to print a 10-page paper (instead of our usual eight-page) we have to have three separate runs—Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday—instead of our accustomed two press runs. That's because our press prints a maximum of four pages per run. A 10-page paper will give us additional space for news of our communities, as well as additional space for commercial messages from our advertisers. We're hoping that an increase in advertising will make it possible for us to afford the luxury of having the extra pages in our paper on a regular basis.

That is the game plan at any rate; we expect to pay for the new equipment and the added

costs of printing on a modern press through increased advertising. We do not envision raising the price of the paper or the cost of advertising in the paper, with two exceptions. We will increase the cost of front-page ads in order to reduce the number of those ads and give us more room for news and photos on the front page. And we will raise the price of out-of-state subscriptions in order to cover the 14 percent postal rate increase taking effect this month.

When we concern to the new production methods, scheduled for the second week of March, you will notice that the size of our newspaper sheet will be slightly larger. You will also notice larger and clearer photos. You will find an editorial page, with comments that you may or may not agree with, but comments that hopefully will provide food for thought.

You will also be receiving the paper a day earlier. We will be reverting to a Wednesday publication date—a date The Citizen had used for several years before changing to Thursday early in the century. Publishing one day earlier will allow us to get the news to you that much quicker, will allow you additional time to formulate weekend plans around events or sales listed in the paper.

The earlier publication date, in addition to being fortuitously practical, is also necessitated by the fact that it is the only day of the week when there is time for the Sun-Journal press crew to print our paper. Since we consider the Lewiston press the finest newspaper press in the area, and are anxious to utilize it, we are willing to change our schedule to fit theirs.

While we are still printing The Citizen one sheet at a time, as it has been printed for the better part of a century, we invite you to come to see a piece of history that will soon be passing. (The best time to see all the machinery running is Thursday mornings.)

The technology that made hometown-owned weekly newspapers possible in small towns across America in the late-19th century has been giving way to expensive, but labor-saving, high-tech machinery. In many cases, the local papers have not been able to adapt and have been bought up by newspaper groups with big budgets.

The Citizen, however, will remain independent and will enter the modern age under its own resources, and will progress on its own merits.

REVENUE SHARING

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fund anything needed, if the federal government didn't take the taxpayer's money first. "It's just as cheap to spend it here than to send it to Washington and have them send it back."

Mr. Thayer agreed with almost everyone in Washington that the federal deficit has to be trimmed. "We can't keep going on with these deficits (but) I think they ought to take a bigger cut out of defense."

Neither Mr. Thayer nor Mr. Neikinen thought any drastic measures were imminent. The West Paris selectman doubts Congress would approve the cutback plans. The Bethel interim town manager said, "They may cut it some, but I don't think they'll cut it all out."

Targeted for termination by the president are the Economic Development Administration, Urban Development Action Grants, and the Small Business Administration. The Community Development Block Grant program would be cut by 10 percent, as would subsidies for public housing. The Farmers Home Administration would be terminated.

Money for constructing sewer facilities would be totally phased out by 1990.

The Work Incentive Program would be eliminated, as would the

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Schools or other groups call 1-563-9958 collect to make an appointment.

Watch this paper for more information next week.

Greenwood City —

Mrs. Cellista Morgan, Corres. —
Under the dome of a winter sky, Merryly moaning a frosty law,
The whistling winds go speeding by,
Planning their pranks for another day.

And they did speed by. After lunch I looked at the thermometer and it was —2 degrees. My question was, "Shall I go out?" I did, for a short walk and for a few chores which had to be done.

The scenery was wholly arctic. Hicks Pond was a Baffin's Bay. Had a glacier crept down during the night and overwhelmed New England? It was a hard time to think spring or summer thoughts. It did remind me of the days that I walked to school.

The snow, whipped by the wind left picturesque snow-drifts along the roadsides and on the pond. They remained a while then were swept to another destination. Out on the pond it curved gracefully upwards into fantastic shapes. I was reminded of the waves of the ocean, as they break upon the shore. There were forms of shells and dishes. All night and all day I had heard this hooting and whistling around the house here on the knoll, only to roar away into the woods and whine in the trees.

The tips of the evergreens above the icicles on the ledges by the roadside wore white gloves, which they kept on even when they gave me a nod.

The puddle beneath the ledge was ribbed and patterned ice and engraved in designs, as my front windows had been all day. How much I was reminded of James Russell Lowell's "The Vision of Sir Launfal."

Nature is constantly repainting the landscape and all surfaces. Oh, winter was wearing a brilliant smile; displaying its charms but I left them to return home.

The principal charm of a winter walk is perhaps the color. The yellow of the sun, the purple of the snow in drifts or on the mountains, the green of the pines, the russet of the deciduous woods and the lovely sky at sunset.

As I sit now cozy and warm in my house, the wind still howls and the stars seem to have rekindled their fires, while the moon waits to join them in that black velvet sky.

Dot Betts was hostess to the Club on Feb. 5 at her home. Ardell Hayes, Auburn, spent

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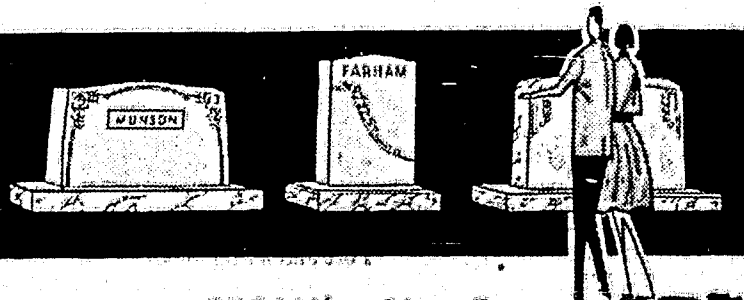
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Albany HUNT'S CORNER AND VICINITY

Kathy Bennett, Corres.

It really feels like spring this morning after the terribly bitter cold and winds of last week.

Recent visitors at the home of Arthur and Alice Wardwell have been Helen and Lindood Ring.

Dave and Mary Ellen Scribner called on Dave's folks Mr. and Mrs. Fred Scribner on Sunday.

Mark and Tina Daneco and children visited Tina's mother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Homer Ward and Carla on Sunday. Keith Daneco spent Saturday night with his grandmother.

Steve and Lorrie Hodgdon and Lolita Hodgdon called on April Edwards. Friday afternoon. They also attended a birthday gathering for Steve's Father, Lon Hodgdon, and went snowmobiling on Sreaked Mountain on Saturday.

Andy Inman, Jason Inman and Renee Dittmar and Nita Inman were Sunday supper guests of Howard and Barb Inman.

Sunday evening Andy and Michelle Inman celebrated their birthdays at Michelle's home. Present were: Michelle's mom and dad, Mike and June Inman and brother Brian, Terri and Frank Howard and children, Renee Ditt-

HEADMASTER BILL CLOUGH

crowns Gould Academy. Winter Carnival Queen Sam Welsh during nighttime festivities around a bonfire on the soccer field last Sunday. There were lantern-lit cross-country ski races following the coronation. Queen Sam Welsh and her king, Mike Angell, were pulled to the bonfire in a sleigh, pulled by the ski team.

mar, Jason Inman, Barbara and Howard Inman, Nita Inman, and Hugh Stearns.

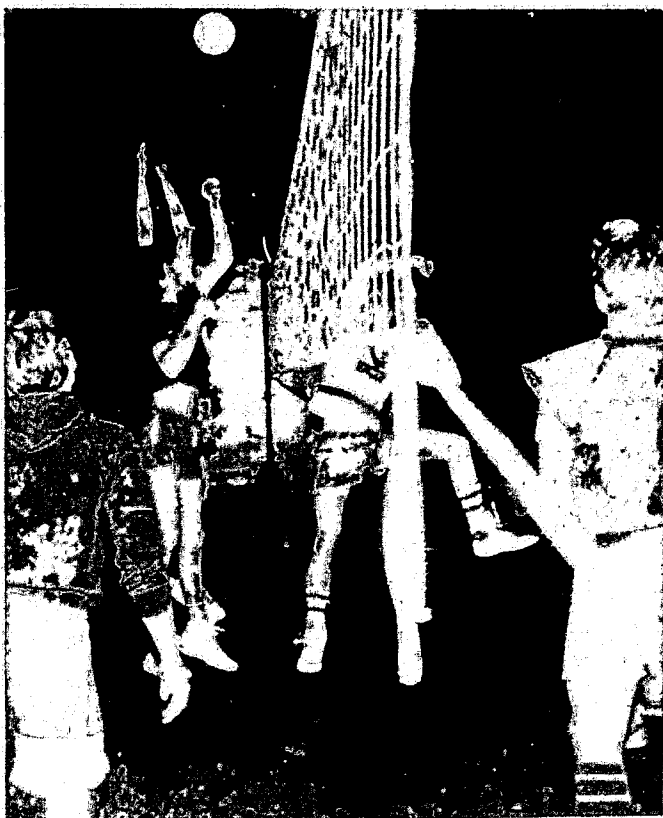
Franklin and Jimmy Barton, Grampa Frank Barton and Roger Barton went up to Wilson's Mills rabbit hunting on Saturday.

Saturday evening Dick and I played cards with Franklin and Margaret.

There doesn't seem to be much excitement at K-D's Acres. All we do is put wood on the fires and haul out the ashes! But it is sure nice to be warm.

Saturday, Margaret Barton and I went to Norway shopping and called on my mother, Eva B. Twitchell and Aunt Kay and Aunt Dot in Bryant Pond.

Sunday Dick and I and Doug went cross country skiing. Callers this week have been Margaret Barton and Jeff Barton. Have a good week everyone.



VOLLEYBALL was one of the many contests of fitness and progress engaged in by competing dorms and day students during Gould Academy's winter carnival this past weekend.

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Telstar skiing

Telstar's alpine ski teams finished second to Rumford in a dual meet at Sunday River Tuesday. The boys lost a heartbreaker, 27-28, with a score tied 18-18 after the first four finishers and the final outcome having to be decided by the fifth finisher. The girls lost 23-33, with the normally strong Darcie Witter not finishing her second run.

The individual winner of the boys' event was Telstar's Bruce Barth, with a two-run combined total of 90.71 seconds. Finishing second for Telstar and third overall was Rick Mixer, in 94.01. David Kersey had his best day ever, finishing sixth overall, in 98.38. Todd Davis was eighth overall, in 99.41. Tenth overall was Dennis Gallant, in 101.26, while Jim Orino was 12th overall, in 103.23.

Linda James was Telstar's fastest girl racer, finishing second overall, in 99.75. Michelle Cummings took sixth overall, in 111.77. Sue Fraser was close behind, seventh overall, in 112.19. Denise Gauthier was eighth overall, in 154.18. Becky Carter took 12th overall, in 204.97, and Jane Head came in 13th overall, in 323.21.

Last week, skiing in a triple meet against Edward Little and Lewiston at Lost Valley, the Telstar boys came in second, while the girls came in third. The scores were: boys, Edward Little 13, Telstar 31, Lewiston 40; girls, Edward Little 17, Lewiston 22, Telstar 54. Orino was Telstar's fastest finisher, taking sixth overall, and James had the best time among Telstar girls, coming in seventh overall.

The Rebels will take part in the Class A meet in Farmington this weekend against seven schools. The cross-country races will be Thursday and the downhill races will be Friday and Saturday. In cross-country action Tuesday at Telstar, the boys' team kept up its winning ways, defeating Edward Little over the 6.7 kilometer course, 10-31. The girls howed to the Eddies, however, 10-36, on the women's 4.7 kilometer course.

Top skiers for Telstar were Mike Kelly among the boys, who finish-

SCHACHTER IS RUNNER-UP IN ORATORICAL CONTEST

Telstar's Jacob Schachter finished as runner-up to Dirigo's John Skilkin in the American Legion's National High School Oratorical Contest, whose county eliminations were held Monday night in the Telstar lecture hall.

The two qualifiers (the other schools in the county did not send representatives) first spoke on an aspect of the constitution of their own choice. They then presented extemporaneous remarks on a subject of the judges' choosing. Skilkin, a senior at Dirigo, spoke on the rights and responsibilities of citizens under the U.S. Constitution, while Schachter spoke on the five freedoms embodied in the First Amendment. The judges asked both boys to discuss the Sixth Amendment, granting to the accused the right of trial by jury.

The Legion annually sponsors the oratorical contest as a way of developing a deeper understanding and appreciation of the U.S. Constitution.

The winner of Monday's elimination will compete this Sunday at the district level, in Mechanic Falls.

MS. CLOUGH EXHIBITING AT PORTLAND ART MUSEUM

Wendy Clough, daughter of Bill and Ki Clough, of Bethel, was one of a handful of talented artists to get her painting accepted for an exhibition of contemporary New England artists. The show is on view at the Portland Art Museum.

As if that were not enough good news, Ms. Clough also learned that one of her paintings on display in the museum was sold.

ed first overall, in 25:14.2, and Heidi Belanger among the girls, who finished fifth overall, in 21:56.6. Scott Korhonen took second overall among the boys, in 25:32.3; Rick Bodwell took third, 26:07.4; Shawn Smith was fourth, 26:36.5. In the girls' division, Nancy Miller was eighth overall, with a time of 23:13.9.

The cross-country racers will be competing in the Class A meet in Farmington today (Thursday), against seven other schools.

CHILDREN'S AUTHOR TO EXHIBIT AT GOULD ACADEMY

The next exhibit at Gould Academy's Owen Art Gallery in Bethel will open on Friday evening, Feb. 15, 7-9 p.m. and will continue through March 27.

The exhibit describes the process of making a children's book, and features the work of Charles E. Martin.

Born in Boston, Mr. Martin has spent most of his life in New York. He is a self-taught artist, and has worked as a designer, a political cartoonist for PM, and an illustrator for Life and Harper's magazines. He has taught watercolor painting at the Brooklyn Museum Art School. His paintings appear regularly on the cover of New Yorker.

In this exhibit, the viewer will be able to see how the artist begins with a story, makes sketches, develops a story, makes the final drawings, and how that work is then printed. The book in the exhibit is Mr. Martin's second book, "Island Winter." Mr. Martin's other books, also about an island community are "Island Rescue" and "Summer Business" (c) Greenwillow Books.

Mr. Martin is a summer resident of Monhegan Island, and children and adults will enjoy this delightful exhibit equally.

SCIENTISTS AT GOULD MONDAY, FEB. 18

Two distinguished scientists will give a joint lecture at Gould Academy, at 7:30 p.m. on Monday, Feb. 18, in the Bingham Auditorium. The public is invited.

Thomas W. Hill and Patricia H. Reiff, research scientists in the Center for Space Physics at Rice University, Houston, Tex. received their advanced degrees at Rice (Ph.D. 1973 and 1975, respectively), both were awarded Research Associate-ships by the National Academy of Sciences/Research Council (at the National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration's Environmental Research Laboratories in Boulder, Colo., and at the National Aeronautics and Space Administration's Marshall Space Flight Center in Huntsville, Ala., respectively) during 1975-76, and both returned to faculty appointments in the Rice University Department of Space Physics and Astronomy in 1976, when they were married.

Dr. Reiff is a magnetospheric physicist concentrating on experimental studies of the Earth's aurora. She is currently responsible for analyzing data from NASA's Dynamics Explorer satellite pro-

TELSTAR SENIORS RECEIVING COLLEGE ACCEPTANCE NEWS

The following Telstar seniors have been granted fall admission to the colleges and programs noted below:

Sheila Andrews, business administration and marketing, Becker Junior College, Leicester, Mass.; business management, Casco Bay College, Portland.

Floyd (Jim) Coolidge, building construction, CMVIT, Auburn. Denise Elliot, travel and tourism, Hesser College, Manchester, N.H. Bernie Haines, accounting, Beal College, Bangor.

Tina Hall, medical secretarial science, Mid-State College, Auburn. Judy Hutchinson, elementary education, University of Maine at Machias.

Jodey Kimball, accounting information systems, Thomas College, Waterville. Linda Love, pharmacy, University of Rhode Island, Kingston, R.I.

Amy Otero Otero, business administration, Westbrook College, Portland; New Hampshire College, Manchester, N.H.

Tammy Poland, business management, Mid-State College, Auburn. Dawn Roberts, registered nursing, Westbrook College, Portland.

Brandon Salway, communication/broadcasting, St. Joseph's College, North Windham; Dean Junior College, Franklin, Mass.

Shawn Smith, physical education, Dean Junior College, Franklin, Mass.

Mary Taylor, early childhood education, Wheelock College, Boston, Mass.

Leigh Whitman, travel and tourism, Hesser College, Manchester, N.H.

Ken Whitney, mechanical engineering, Florida Institute of Tech., Melbourne, Fla.

gram, a high-altitude/low altitude pair of satellites designed to study the acceleration of charged particles responsible for the aurora.

Dr. Hill, also a magnetospheric physicist, deals with theoretical problems concerning the production of aurorae on Earth and other planets. In addition to Earth, aurorae are known to occur at Jupiter and Saturn (which have been visited by the Pioneer and Voyager spacecraft) and at Uranus (which is due to be visited by Voyager in January 1986).

Dr. Hill and Dr. Reiff will also spend the day at Gould visiting classes.

BETHEL LIBRARIAN CERTIFIED

The Board of Certification of the Maine Library Association met in Bangor recently and approved the certification of Virginia Davis Keniston, Chapman Street, Bethel, for certification for a period of five years. Mrs. Keniston is librarian at the Bethel Library.

The program of voluntary certification of librarians of public libraries in Maine is intended to improve community library service by encouraging individual librarians to increase their professional qualifications by attending workshops and enrolling in classes for their professional growth and development.

Letters to the Editor

Feb. 10, 1985

To the Editor: The recent announcement that the Bethel Inn is building a major addition is good news. For many years we wondered if the fine old Inn on the Common would survive during the changes in the resort hotel business. Now it appears that the survival of the Bethel Inn is assured.

Dick Raser should be congratulated for his investment in the Bethel Inn and the economy of the area.

Yours truly,
Dexter M. Stowell

CHURCH NEWS

Bethel United Methodist Church
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Administrative Board Chairman,
Richard Stevens
Christian Education Chairperson,
Sally Downing

Sunday:
9:00 a. m., Church School.
10:30 a. m., Worship Service.
UWU—first Thursday of each month, 1:30 p. m.

Anyone needing prayers of someone in need please call Mrs. Burton Abbott, Mrs. Wallace Saunders or Mrs. Randall Stevens.

West Parish Congregational Church
Rev. Jean Bass
Co-Pastors

Sunday:
Church School, 9 a. m.
Worship Service, 10:30 a. m.
Nursery care provided.
Wednesday: Youth Fellowship (Grades 6-8) 5:30 p. m.

Thursday:
Pilgrim Fellowship (Grades 9-12) 5:30 p. m.
Choir Rehearsal, 7:30 p. m.
Women's Fellowship, 4th Wednesday, 9:30 a. m.

Bethel Gospel Center
of Christian & Missionary Alliance
D. N. Larson, Pastor

Sunday:
Sunday School, 9 a. m., three year olds through adults.
Babysitting for all children under five years during Church.

Morning Worship, 10 a. m.
Evening Service, 6 p. m.
Monday: Men's Bible Studies, 7 p. m.

Ladies' Bible Study, Tuesdays, 9:30 a. m. for location call: 824-2850. Babysitting: 824-2193 for assistance.

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Evening Worship, 6 p. m.

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Sunday, Feb. 17: Subject—Soul.
Golden Text: Isaiah 25:1—O Lord, thou art my God; I will exalt thee, I will praise thy name; for thou hast done wonderful things; thy counsels of old are faithfulness and truth.

First Church of Christ, Scientist
corner of Main and Tenth Streets
Berlin, N. H., holds Sunday morning services at 11 a. m. and Sunday School at the same hour for pupils up to the age of 20 years.

The Wednesday evening meeting is at 7:45, including testimonies of healing.

Christian Science Society, New Way, 9 Stevens St., off Alpine St.
Sunday Services and Sunday School at 10:30 a. m.

Wednesday evening service at 7:30 p. m. includes testimonies of healing.

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said they will use delaying tactics in developing a new transfer station site if the consent order is issued.

The rules of the DEP allow petitioners for permits to appeal an unfavorable ruling to the Board, providing new issues to be raised. Senator Twitchell said one issue he will raise during the expected appeal hearing will be the matter of the state's picnic area adjacent to the dump, whose out-house drains into a local stream.

Opponents of the permit had complained that the dump was an eyesore to picnicers. He suggested the towns could screen the dump from picnicers' view by planting shrubs and installing a fence.

The other route the towns can go in their fight with the environmental board is the courts, and some local citizens have said they would be willing to contribute funds for a court fight, according to local officials.

WEST BETHEL UNION CHURCH
Rev. Norman and Betty Rust and Arthur and Ruth Gilbert attended the Leaders' Convocation in Portland on Saturday afternoon.

Next Sunday, Feb. 17, at 5:30 p. m. the fellowship supper will be held, place to be announced at the morning service. The program will be presented by the CADET team. Don't miss this important program.

Rev. Rust's sermon title next Sunday is "Who Do You Think You Are?" Job 38 verse 4.

Last Tuesday night the ladies of the Chapel Aid and friends met at the church for a potluck dinner. About 30 attended to honor one of the members, Liddell Thompson. An appropriate gift was presented by the ladies of the Chapel Aid.

Our Lady of the Snows
Catholic Church
Rt. 26 Bethel
Rev. Donald R. Proulx

Saturday, 4:30, Anticipated Mass.
St. Catherine of Siena
29 Paris St., Norway
Rev. Donald Proulx

Anticipated Mass, Sat., 7 p. m.
Sunday Masses, 9 & 11:15 a. m.
West Bethel Union Church
Rev. Norman Rust, Minister
Phone: Church 836-2223

Home
Parish Day Wednesday
Mrs. Nesta Littlefield, Organist
Mrs. Rodney Kimball, Custodian
Morning worship and Church School, 9:15 a. m.

Nursery provided for pre-school children.
Chapel Aid, second Wednesday evening at 7:30
Locke Mills Union Church
Rev. Michael Caldwell
Mrs. Richard Melville
Organist and Choir Director
Bruce Swan

Sunday School Superintendent
Sunday:
7:30 a. m., Adult Education Class.
9:00 a. m., Worship.
10:30 a. m., Sunday School.

Wednesday:
6:15 p. m., Choir.
6:30 p. m., TOPS.
Thursday:
7:30 p. m., Youth Group.

7:30 p. m., Adult Education Class.
Second Wednesdays, 7:30 p. m., Trustees.
Third Wednesdays, 1:30 p. m., Ladies' Circle.

Pleasant Valley Bible Church
836-2828
B. R. Griffith, Pastor
Linda Stowell,
Pianist and Choir Director

Sunday:
Sunday School, 9 a. m. Ages 3 through adult.
Morning worship, 10 a. m. Baby-sitting for children through age 5.

Wednesday: choir practice, 6 p. m.
Prayer & Bible Study, 7 p. m.
Thursday afternoon Ladies Bible Study Babysitting available.

Those needing information or rides to church activities, please call Maureen at 824-2949.

Newry Community Church
Newry, Maine
Rodney Hanscom, Pastor
Nancy Hanscom, Organist
Sunday Morning Worship, 9:00 a. m. with special service for children.

Bryant Pond Baptist Church
Pastor: Linwood Hanson
Sunday:
9:15 a. m., Sunday School.
10:30 a. m., Worship service.
6 p. m., Evening service.

Wednesday:
7 p. m., Bible Study and Prayer Meeting.
Thursday: Awana Clubs—2:30-4 p. m., Sparks (K thru Gr. 2); 6-8 p. m., Chums, Pals, Guards.

Pioneers (Gr. 3 thru 6); 6-8 p. m., New Junior Varsity Program (Gr. 7 & 8).

First Congregational Church
United Church of Christ
Andover
Rev. E. Marlette Churchill
Phone: Church 332-4078
Parsonage 392-3081

Organist and Choir Director,
Linda Burnham
Sunday School Supt.,
Paula P. Smith

Sunday:
9:30 a. m., Worship Service.
9:30 a. m., Church School.
Ladies Aid—Every other Monday at noon, C. E. B.

Calvary Congregational Church
Route 5
Andover, Maine
Pastor: Donald Grover

Pianist: Mrs. Edna Willo
Choir Director: Carol Stuart
Sunday School Superintendent:
Marjorie Sinson

Worship Service, 10:45.
Sunday School, 9:30.
Youth Group, 5:30.
Prayer and Praise, Wednesday at 7:30 at the church.

Choir rehearsal, Wednesdays at 8:30.

Rumford Area Bible Speaks
Pastor Bob Colby
At Faith Bible Church, Route 224, Rumford Corner.

9:30 a. m., Sunday School.
10:30 a. m., Worship Service.
6 p. m., Sunday Youth Group.
7 p. m., Sunday Evening Service.

At 524 Prospect Ave., Rumford:
8 a. m., Mon.-Fri., Prayer and Devotional.

At Bethel—Women's Bible Study:
Thursday, 10 a. m., Eleanor Brooks' Home.

Bolster's Mills
United Methodist Church
David W. Helms, Pastor
Family Worship, 10:00 a. m.

Church School, 10:00 a. m.
South Waterford
United Methodist Church
David W. Helms, Pastor
Family Worship, 9:30 a. m.

OXFORD COUNTY UNITED PARISH
Rev. Nancy Taylor
East Stoneham
Congregational Church
9:00 a. m., Worship Service,
North Waterford
Congregational Church
10:30 a. m., Worship Service.

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SAVINGS BANK TRUSTEES ANNOUNCE CHANGES

The Board of Trustees of The Bethel Savings Bank recently announced the promotion of Cecelia J. Hoy to vice president and the appointment of William E. Hussey as loan officer and head of the collection department.

Mrs. Hoy began her career with the Bethel Savings Bank in April 1981, after leaving the Canal Bank in Lewiston. Her responsibilities in Bethel have included cash management, the deposit area of the bank, advertising, lending and trust services. She will continue to be involved in these areas as well as assuming more responsibility in the investment area of the bank.

Mrs. Hoy has completed several courses from the American Institute of Banking and has attended various bank-related seminars and workshops. Recently, she graduated from the Dale Carnegie course. She currently serves on the Security and Communications Committees for the Savings Bank Association of Maine and is a member of both the Maine Association of Savings Bank Women and the National Association of Banking Women.

Locally, Mrs. Hoy serves on the Personnel Committee for the Bethel Area Health Center. She resides in Bethel with her husband, Doug.

Mr. Hussey comes to the bank from Heritage Savings Bank of Waterville, where, as senior business development officer he was responsible for business development in the Bangor region. Prior to Heritage, he was assistant loan officer and branch manager for Maine National Bank in the Rumford Region.

His new duties will be responsibility for the overall collection process at Bethel Savings, serve as loan officer and assist in business development.

Mr. Hussey is a 1971 graduate of Husson College in Bangor, earning a bachelor of Science degree in business administration. He has



Cecelia J. Hoy



William E. Hussey

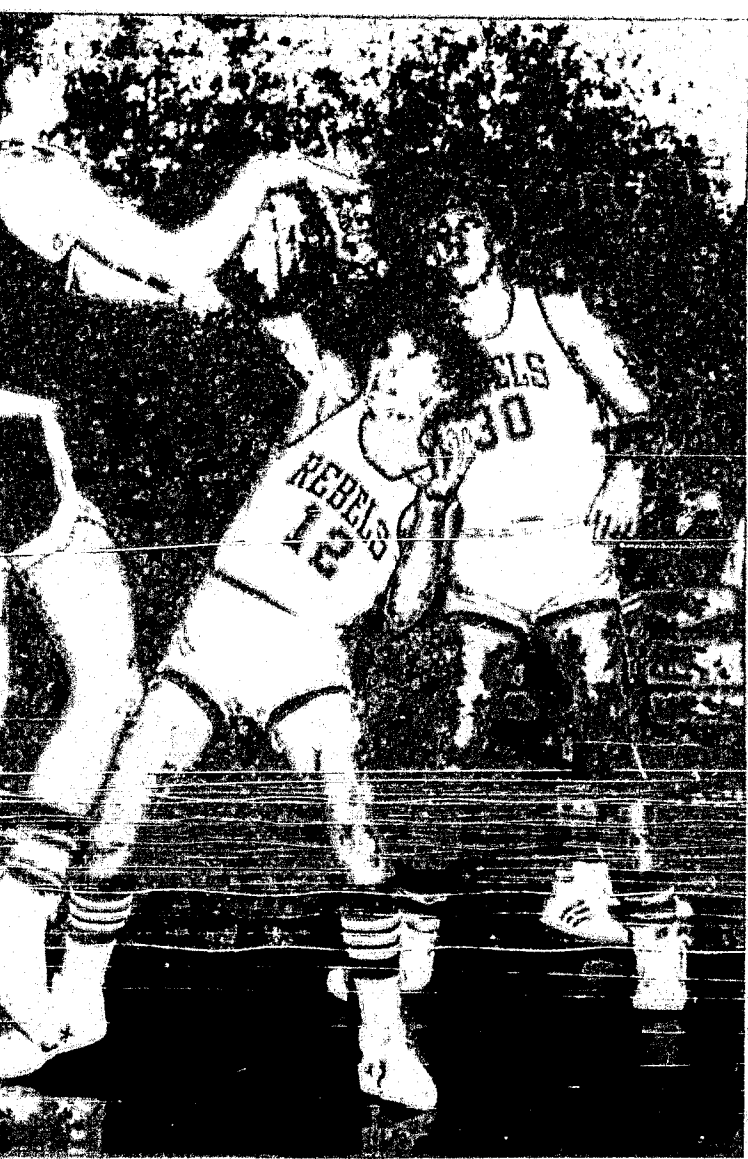
also completed numerous American Institute of Banking courses and has attended various bank related seminars.

As a member of Lions Club International for six years, he has held many offices in the Dixfield Lions Club. He has two daughters, Julie and Allyson, and resides in Rumford.

BOOKS ADDED RECENTLY AT BETHEL LIBRARY

The Dirty Duck, Martha Geimes; Sweet Death, Kind Death, Amanda Cross; Briarpatch, Ross Thomas; Hooligans, William Dicht; The Sicilian, Mario Puzo; "A Dream Come True," the story of St. Jude's Children's Research Hospital; The Good War, Studs Terkel; A History of Hanover, Maine, 1774-1980; Jewellea Path, Rosalind Laker; Illusions of Love, Cynthia Freeman; The Landowners Legacy, Victoria Holt; (gift) Having Been There, Allan Lusk; alcoholism; Maine Almanac, Jim Brunelle; With Daughter's Eye, Mary Catherine Bateson; Foreign Affairs, Alison Lurie; Black Elk Speaks, B. Bridge Across Forever, Richard Bach (love story);

Port and a Star Boarder, B.J. Morrison (Maine murder); Middlemarch, George Eliot; The Tobin man, Stephen King and Peter Straub; The Talbot Odyssey, Nelson deMille; Leonardo daVinci, B (gift); Mary Lincoln, a biography of marriage (gift); Grace Coolidge and Her Era (gift); A Very Far Country, Almedingen; Lonely but not Alone, B. Wilhelm; Superior Woman, Alice Adams; Men, an Owner's Manual, Stephanie Brush; The First Directive, McNamara; The Zurich Numbers, Bill Granger; Stillwatch, Mary Higgins Clark; Close Encounter, Mike Wallace; Alcoholism, Nada J. Estes (gift of CADET team, Bethel); History of Woodstock, Maine, William Lapham (gift); The Name of the Rose, Umberto Eco.



GIMME THAT! Telstar co-captain Bernie Haines struggles against a Mt. Abram opponent for possession of the ball during last Friday's final game of the season, which Mt. Abram won, 70-48. Ken Viger waits to see the outcome of the struggle.

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CLEAN carpets with ease. Blue Lustre makes the job a breeze. Rent electric shampooer, \$1 and \$2 machines. Brooks Bros., Inc., 824-2158.

Gov't surplus Cars & Trucks under \$100. Now available in your area. Call 1-(619)-569-0242.

FOR SALE - Two medium Norwegian blue fox jackets. Call Neil Olson, 875-5785.

New Minn Kota Electric Trolling Motor, with new marine battery. Three speeds, forward and reverse. Good for a canoe. \$150.00. Call after 5 p.m. 824-2566.

FIREWOOD FOR SALE - Slabwood \$50 a cord. Contact Hanover Dowel Co. 7 a.m. - 4 p.m., 824-2181.

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6 Subarus in stock, '81 to '83, some 4x4's.

1985 Camaro T-top, 2,100 mi. \$9,495

1985 Plymouth Voyager LE, 2.6 engine, auto. \$12,295

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1984 Ford Escort, GL, auto., P/S. 4 dr., 17,000 mi. \$6,495

1984 Chevy Chevette, 4 sp., AM/FM, stereo, 10,000 mi. \$4,695

1984 Mercury Marquis SW, loaded, silver in color, 27,000 mi. Only \$8,695

1984 AMC Eagle, 4 dr., 6, auto., P/S, 4x4, 6,100 mi. \$9,395

1984 Camaro, V6, auto., P/S, 21k, Sharp. \$8,495

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1982 AMC Eagle (small), 4x4, hatchback, 22,000 mi. \$4,895

1982 Nissan Stanza XE, 4 dr., auto., P/S, 32,000 mi. \$6,395

1982 Honda Accord, 3dr., 5 sp., 37,000 mi. \$5,495

1982 Pontiac 4 dr., 6000, auto., P/S, air, etc., 50,000 mi. \$5,895

1982 VW Rabbit 4 dr., diesel. \$9,000

1982 Mustang Black Beauty, 302, auto., P/S. \$4,795

1982 VW Rabbit, 4 dr., gas, 43k, sunroof. \$4,095

1981 Renault LeCar, one owner, 32,000 mi. \$1,995

1980 Mazda GLC, 3 dr., 5 sp., nice car. \$2,195

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1979 VW Dasher, 4 dr., 4 sp. \$1,695

1979 Mazda RX7 hatchback, 4 speed AM/FM stereo, a true sports car, red in color. Only \$4,295

1979 Ford Fairmont wagon, 6 cyl., auto., P/S, AM/FM, the perfect family car. Only \$2,195

BARGAIN LINE

1979 VW Rabbit, 4 dr. \$1,695

1978 Nova 4 dr., 6, std., P/S. \$1,295

1977 Chevy Impala, 4x4. \$995

1977 Subur. Brat, S/W, 305, auto. \$1,295

1976 Pontiac Ventura, 4 dr., 6, auto., P/S, 73,000 mi. \$1,095

1976 Plymouth Arrow, 3 dr., auto. \$500

TRUCKS

1983 Toyota X-cab, P/S, brand new \$7,950—SAVE \$1,000.

1984 Dodge D100, 6 cyl., std., silver in color, 13,000 mi. Only \$5,995

1983 GMC Caballero (like El Camello), Fancy model. 21,000 mi. \$8,995

1981 Datsun King Cab, 4x4, new paint, 5 sp., 56,000 mi. \$3,995

1979 Dodge 6 std., 1 owner, 20k. \$3,295

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1978 Dodge 1/2 ton, 6, std. \$2,195

BETHEL AUTO SALES INC.

Rte. 2, Bethel, Me.

824-2389

NEW HOURS

9:30 a.m. to 5 p.m., Mon. thru Fri.

9:30 a.m. to 5 p.m., Thurs. & Fri.

Sat., 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.



DEMONSTRATING how the Bethel Citizen is folded and trimmed out of one sheet of paper printed on both sides, printer Edwin Brown instructed some young visitors at the newspaper office last week. The visitors are members of David Tripp's graphic arts class at Telstar Regional High School. Mr. Tripp wanted the students to see the old printing processes used by the paper before it converts to modern printing methods next month.

For Sale

FREE - Doberman to good farm home. Clever. Joe Roderick. 824-2024.

FIREWOOD FOR SALE - Mixed hardwood (beech, maple, oak, ash), 4 or 8 ft. delivered, \$55 cord. Excellent size stovewood. 824-3342 nights.

FOR SALE - Bethel Opera House Condominiums, located on The Common, Bethel Village. One bedroom units, fully furnished, sleeps 4 to 6, on site manager, good rental potential, summer and winter. Priced from \$42,000 to \$44,500. Call anytime 207 824-2312.

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Appliances Warehouse Direct - all brands—audio—video. Maine Appliance Warehouse, Western Ave. & Foden Rd., South Portland; Snow's Appliance Warehouse, Center St., Auburn. 5-17

WATERBEDS, bookcase headboards, new queen and king size, complete with padded siderails \$199.00. 6 Drawer Pedestal \$99.00. 674 2318 or 665-2521 evenings. 4-11p

Finestkind Logging has firewood for sale, any amount, any length, round or split. Call for details. 824-2231.

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Sunday River—building lot. Residential area. \$6,000. Maine Street Realty. 824-2114.

A FARMHOUSE FOR YOUR VALENTINE? In Newry, close to Sunday River and Grafton Notch, 1800's farmhouse on 22 wooded acres. Potential for comfortable home of character in special location. \$36,500. Call Gillies Realty. 824-3211.

A CAMP FOR YOUR VALENTINE? A simple and comfortable; insulated with electric heat. Furnishings included. Easy access to U.S. Route #2. Well located as fishing/hunting base. \$16,000. Call Gillies Realty. 824-3211.

A VIEW FOR YOUR VALENTINE? On Fast Bethel Road, 28 acres with grand view of Newry Valley looking across Androscoggin River. River and road frontage. Electricity. \$24,000. Call Gillies Realty. 824-3211.

40 acre lot in Andover, \$14,000. Call 824-3342 nights.

Exquisite Cape Home — 3 miles from Bethel, circa early 1800's. 3 1/2 bedrooms, 1 1/2 baths, eat-in kitchen, dining room, living room, family room, 2 fireplaces, acre-plus lot, mountain view. Reduced to mid 50's. Strout Realty, Hanover, 864-8076.

BARN, for sale by owner, 40 by 70, 2 1/2 stories, water and sewer. Summer Street, Bethel, \$35,000. 824-2368.

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Help Wanted

AIRLINES NOW HIRING. Reservationists, stewardesses and ground crew positions available. Call 1-619-569-0241 for details. 24 hrs. 6-8p

Looking for Housekeeping Jobs. Get a good job done at your convenience. Homes, offices, rentals etc. Reasonable rates. Call 824-2206 after 5:00.

Wanted

WANTED - Small trailer-type oil pot burner. Good condition. Solid. No rust. Call 824-3231 after Sunday.

WANTED - Knitting, sewing, crocheting to do in my home. Call anytime. Bryant Pond, 665-2530.

WANTED - Furnished apartments, houses, country places needed for NTL staff and participants. Call 824-2114.

WANTED - 8 track stereo tape player for 4 speakers. Good condition. Call 824-3231 after Sunday.

DOCTOR'S FAMILY ANXIOUSLY WANTS TO BUY FARM or land for 2nd home & investment on maintained road. 617-371-0014. (50/4)(7/10)(13)

WANTED TO BUY - Scrap metal. Home evenings and week ends. RAYMOND CHAPMAN, 836-2555.

For Rent

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FOR RENT OR LEASE - Large Area in Bethel Mall. Interested? Call 824-2980.

Three bedroom house—spacious new kitchen. Available immediately. Maine Street Realty, 824-2114.

Lost

LOST: Tapestry-covered chair cushion, beige, brown, and rust-colored, lost on Rt. 26 between Gorham and Norway. Call 743-5583.

Miscellaneous

Shop and portable welding, water thawing. Brown's Welding Shop. 824-2752.

OLSON'S GENERAL REPAIR. Welding - Car Repair - Snowmaching parts, new and used. Call after 5 - 824-2970. 12-19p-1f

H&R BLOCK TAX SERVICE is now offering bookkeeping services as well as year quarterly reports 940 and 941 and State of Maine Unemployment, etc. If you are starting a new business or operating an existing one—call us for a quote on prices. We can also do every Federal and State tax form. Call 743-6923 or stop by our office at 48 Main Street, South Paris, Me. for more information. 4-14

AA Big Book Meeting (closed). Sunday, 6-7:30 p.m. Community Room, Bethel Fire Station. 31f

Parents Anonymous, Monday evening, 6:30 - 8, Bethel Library. 204

At-Aton, Wednesday, 8 p.m., Telstar Regional High School. 28f

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BENNETT'S UPHOLSTERY - Home and office furniture, antique and modern. Call for free estimates, quality workmanship at very reasonable prices. 824-2336. 15f

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GLASS REPLACEMENT - Auto Glass - Comb. Windows - Sales and Repair. Twin Town Glass, 45 Main St., Norway, Maine. Tel. 743-6478. 13f

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4th ANNUAL STAN FOX RACE

AT SRSTC WEDNESDAY, FEB. 20

On Wednesday, Feb. 20, Sunday River Ski Touring Center will host the 4th annual Stan Fox Cup, mass start cross-country "Citizens" fun races.

The event is named after a local skiing legend and resident and is staged annually during school vacation week by the Bethel Outing Club and the Touring Center to give locals, young and old, an opportunity to challenge their neighbors.

The first race starts at 1:30 p.m. There will be a three kilometer race for youngsters under 14 and a five kilometer open race. Prizes are awarded to every participant. Entry fee \$2.00.

WORLD DAY OF PRAYER

FRIDAY, MARCH 1

All ladies of the community are invited to attend World Day of Prayer sponsored by Our Lady of the Snows under the auspices of Church Women United on Friday, March 1, 1985, from 1 to 2 p.m. An offering will be taken and coffee will be served.

SNOWMAKING

continued from Page One before beginning work, Mr. Onelette said.

Mt. Abram spokesman Jean Anton indicated she didn't want to count chickens before the financing package is actually hatched. "We've tried this for several years," she said, but also seemed optimistic that the latest proposal could be the one that brings results.

The State Planning Office money comes originally from federal block grants, and the purpose of the state grant is "to provide gap financing" for expanding business.

The criteria for the expansion financed is that they produce either more employment or more housing.

John Turner, of Development Concepts, Inc., in Auburn, helped to bring the ski area operator, the state, and the banking community together in the project. He told The Citizen he has received a verbal commitment from a bank (not a local bank) to fund the \$300,000 portion of the project remaining over and above the \$100,000 to be funded by the state grant.

As for the grant, he said he would expect it to carry interest of five percent. If it is awarded to the ski area, in the proposal he helped draft to secure the grant, he noted that Mt. Abram currently employs 50 full- and part-time employees. With the snow making capability, he estimated the ski area would employ 60. Said Mr. Turner: "The mountain has a niche as a family ski area . . . and they're an important part of the Maine economy."

"The mountain basically does very well—when they have snow. The mountain does an excellent job of grooming," he said.

The snowmaking system to be installed would cover about 40 percent of the slopes, Mr. Turner said, adding that work would begin soon after word is received of the award of the grant, in mid-March. The system would be ready for next season.

VERMONT LEGISLATURE CONSIDERING TAX ON SKI LIFT TICKETS

Skiers take note: Vermont's legislature is considering an additional tax on ski lift tickets. There are two bills before the legislature. One would increase the tax by six percent, the other by 25 percent.

Vermont's ski area operators are up in arms, according to press reports from the Green Mountain State.

FAMILY CHALLENGE WINNERS

HEAD FOR REGIONALS

Luke Gray of Bethel had a strong finish in Saturday's Equitable Family Challenge held at Sunday River Ski Resort. Saturday afternoon's winners will represent Sunday River at the Regionals on Feb. 24 at 12:30 p.m. at Cannon Mountain, New Hampshire. Winners in the Mother-Daughter competition were Gail and Tenley Beals of Portland; in the Father-Daughter, Pete and Sara Kailey of Bethel. Father-Son winners were John and Jay Lincoln of South Freeport, Andrew and Zak Seifer in the Young Challenged I from South Windham, and Bill and Jacklyn Cramton of

GOULD ACADEMY ANNOUNCES

JOE RODERICK SCHOLARSHIP

The Gould Academy Alumni Association recently announced the formation of a scholarship fund in honor of Richmond "Joe" Roderick, former teacher, coach and trainer at the school. Joe first taught at Higgins Classical Institute, Greenville High School, and Old Town High School before coming to Gould to teach physical education in 1942, continuing until his retirement in 1971. He was well known for his gymnastic exhibitions and the revolutionary health and sports medicine programs which helped set the stage for those of the future. Many Gould alumni remember Joe's strength tests, hunter safety courses, posture photos and the commando course, the last of which helped graduating seniors who were off to join the services during World War II.

During his term at Gould Joe coached football and track. His greatest success was in track where his teams won 11 state championships from 1946 to 1961.

Often Joe was, and still is, the one teacher many alumni wish to see when they return for reunions. His concern for each student and his spirit and enthusiasm set a tone that all remember and cherish.



Richmond "Joe" Roderick

Members of the classes 1942 to 1973 who were students when Joe taught at Gould were sent a fund raising brochure last month announcing the formation of this fund. The endowed funds will be set aside and the interest earned will be used to support one or more students at the Academy.

Anyone who is interested or who would like a copy of the brochure should write to the Alumni Office, Gould Academy, P.O. Box 860, Bethel, Maine 04217 or call 824-2161, Ext. 128 or 129.



S.A.D. 44 BOARD MEETS

continued from Page One yearbook advisors and will split a stipend of \$400.

Cheryl Senior of East Stoneham, and Nancy Cross of Bryant Pond were approved as substitute teachers. Sandra Gunther of Bethel was approved as a substitute secretary. Also approved were the appointments of Harry Stevens and Tommy Sweetser as bus drivers.

Thirty-nine individuals and/or organizations were approved to provide instruction in the winter/spring courses of the S.A.D. 44 Adult Education program.

Additional staff personnel for special education for the remainder of the 1984-85 school year were approved as follows: a half-time Chapter 1 aide for Andover Elementary School, and a special

education teacher to be shared by Bethel and Andover elementary schools.

The following were approved for fiscal year 1986 (with annual salaries): buildings and grounds supervisor, Burnham Rice, \$17,500; food services supervisor, Hilda Brown, \$11,500; administrative secretary, Robin Gundersen, \$15,000; principal of Woodstock and Andover Elementary Schools, David Murphy, \$25,500.

Bid specifications for the proposed purchase of a 72-passenger school bus were approved.

Following an executive session of approximately one hour the board tabled any action concerning the appointments of the high school and middle school principals, and the high school assistant principal/athletic director for FY '86, until the Feb. 25 meeting of the directors.

Board members not present on Monday evening were: John Haines, Greenwood, and Sheryl Wilbur, Woodstock. One Greenwood position remains unfilled.

The next regular meeting of the S.A.D. 44 directors is scheduled for 7:30 on Monday evening, Feb. 25, at Telstar Regional High School.

The directors are to meet at Telstar on Monday evening, Feb. 18, at 7 o'clock, for work on the FY '86 budget.

"SIGNS"

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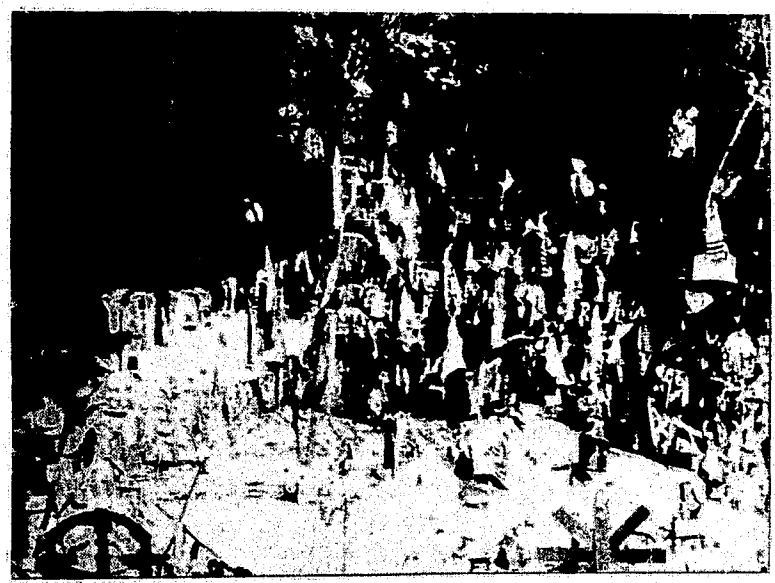
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WOODSTOCK RESIDENT FINDS DECORATIVE TREASURES AT THE TOWN DUMP

On a dusty, dirt road off Route 232 in Bryant Pond, sits an unusual sight. People stop in bewilderment, wondering if the eye-catching, multicolored home is a museum, a carnival or just a display of art. The home belongs to Hanno Cushman.

He is homeowner, artist, and expressionist. Seventy-one years old, father of four children, Mr. Cushman was born up the road from his present dwelling on what is known to the neighborhood as Cushman Hill.

Mr. Cushman's bright smile, welcoming voice and warm pleasing tone made the atmosphere inviting. Dressed in red plaid pants, yellow, long-sleeved shirt, blue wool vest with bright red border and a complementary red tie, Mr. Cushman is as colorful as his house. When asked, "Have you lived here all your life?" Mr. Cushman replied with a strong Maine accent, "It ain't all gone yet."

Mr. Cushman attributes his rococo-decor home to his frequent visits to the nearby dump. He says, "It's no secret, I get my things out of the Locke Mills dump. I never picked any other dump. I know Earl Smith, who works there and he gives me a lot of things."

The artifacts that festoon Hanno Cushman's house include toys, clothes, old bottles, pictures, ribbons, you name it—Mr. Cushman has it hanging either on his house or the surrounding fence. He said his present design took about three years "picking the dump."

"Once I got a pretty cloth and hung it up. After that I just started picking." He admits he never went in for home decoration. "If I never went to the dump I probably would never have done what I did, for I even got the paint out of the dump; too." (The house is painted white with green and red borders and circles, stripes and designs of multi-colors.)

He says of his artwork: "People stop to look at the house and the more I put up, the more they look like the looks of the bright colors."

Mr. Cushman has been married for 46 years. His wife is currently in a nursing home and his children are all married. He lives alone and passes his time making little decorative boxes. "I just like to fool around with something dif-

HANNO CUSHMAN'S FENCE IS FESTOONED with decoration from the old Woodstock dump, as are the trees on the property and the house itself.

ferent," he says.

"I used to work on the farm and then cut wood. I later got arthritis in the shoulder and that's when I decided to do something different, like make small wooden baskets."

For 15 years he and his wife had made memorial baskets. "We went all over Maine and New Hampshire with these baskets. I made them and my wife would put the flowers in them. We made more money in the baskets than anything else in my entire life. We made \$10,000 yearly after establishing our customers. We sold wholesale to the stores," says Mr. Cushman.

Presently, he spends little time home. "I don't do much cooking. I eat out a lot." Mr. Cushman is an active man and says, "I run around everywhere. Tonight, I am going to a dance in Livermore." Mr. Cushman belongs to the Senior Citizens and goes to Norway and Rumford to visit friends.

Inside the house, the decor is as lively as outside. Everything from children's old rocking horses to doll carriages, Dishdrainers and deep freeze baskets sit in the kitchen, decorated into works of art. They are filled with flowers and ornaments, each of a different design. "I could make something out of nothing. Everything in the dump I make use of," states Mr. Cushman. "I used to make bird houses before the memorial baskets, but they didn't sell as good. Back then I got only 80 cents a piece, and it took an hour to make."

The sounds of modern music echoed through Hanno's house. "I went to the Fryeburg Fair and bought a few tapes, and would you believe I even danced there!" Leaving the house, a visitor notices a dog, and Mr. Cushman is quick to point out he didn't get her in the dump. "I did get her in the pound though."

BOYS' HOOP

The Telstar boys' basketball team finished the season Friday night at Telstar in much the same way they began, fighting hard to the final buzzer, but losing nevertheless. The young team finished the season with a 5-17 record overall.

Last Friday night it was Mt. Abram that took the measure of the Rebels, although in the early going Telstar had a nice lead. Even at the end of the first quarter, things were tied up at 14 all. At halftime it was 27-26 Mt. Abram, and at the end of the third period the Roadrunners were only up by three, 41-38.

It wasn't until the closing minutes of the game that things fell apart for the Rebels as they began forcing passes and missing shots from way outside, and fouling to keep the Roadrunners from getting clear shots on steals. The final tally, 70-48, did not reflect the closeness of the game prior to those closing minutes. When it became apparent that the game was out of reach, Telstar Coach Bill Caddigan put in the reserves and the seniors, Bernie Haines, Jon Head and Chad Bean, playing

their last game of their high school careers—left the court, to scattered applause.

Was the coach discouraged over the losing season? Not at all. "We plan to turn the tables next year," said Coach Caddigan. He's banking on a number of players who played varsity ball for the first time this year and will be back in '85-'86. "Some of the boys came a long way," he said, making special mention of sophomores Ken Viger and Scott Haines, and junior Gary Roshto. "And we've got them coming back. Over the summer we're going to stick together. The more they play as a team, the better they'll get."

He hopes to set up some kind of summer program and also hopes to send his players off to summer camp.

This was Mr. Caddigan's first year at Telstar and his first year as coach. He's looking forward to coming back with the team next year. What he learned from his first year is that, "You've got to deal with the team, and also with individuals (on the team). It's not just a matter of teaching how to play the game of basketball." What he did teach, he felt his

FROM COMMUNITY CHORUS

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charges picked up on. He first stressed conditioning, fundamentals and defense. He was especially pleased with the level of conditioning his players attained. "We didn't lose any games because we weren't in shape," he said.

Towards the end of the season he was stressing some finer points, such as boxing out on the boards and concentrating on foul shooting.

"Overall, the season was okay," Mr. Caddigan commented. "After losing Brandon (captain Brandon Salway) we only had Bernie (co-captain Bernie Haines) who had seen much varsity time (last year). Some of the games could have gone either way, and in the end experience usually wins out."



GIRLS' HOOP WRAP-UP

A 7-15 won-lost record isn't the 500 percentage Telstar girls' basketball coach Jim Lunney was hoping for, but it's not too bad for a building year. "I wasn't too displeased," said Coach Lunney.

He points out that at the beginning he had only one returning letterman—Donna Dorey, who has been a four-year starter.

"I think the girls improved quite a bit," he said of the remainder of the team, who started the season fairly green.

Looking ahead to next year, he points out that he will lose only Dorey and Kimball to graduation and he hopes to develop new guards from Sarah Chapman, Karen Gould and Jeannine Conant.

He expects continued good play from center Traci Higgins and forward Linda Learned, and looks for improved performance from forwards Penny York and Suzi Roy.

"Basically what we have to improve on is the skill level," the coach said. To do this he wants to have an active summer league, with the girls playing two games a week. He also expects to send his players to summer basketball camp and will soon begin raising funds to pay for the camp.

With most of the team expected to return, Coach Lunney expects a more competitive team next year. "The program will have more continuity next year. We

SNOOPY SNOOZES atop his dog house on the Gould Academy campus. The pup was part of the snow sculpture contest and was awarded first prize in that contest. The sculpture was the work of the day students.

should be playing better earlier."

In the final game of the season, last Wednesday night against Yarmouth, the girls lost, 62-40. Much of the damage was done by Yarmouth's Chris Mellor, who hit for 18 points. "She's probably all state," said Mr. Lunney.

Traci Higgins was the Rebels' high-scorer, with 15, while Linda Learned pulled down a season-record 19 rebounds.

West Paris

— Mrs. Marian Chase, Corres. —

Mrs. Lyndell Farr has been ill with the flu. Mr. and Mrs. George Marston of Hartford called on her mother, Mrs. Liz Rowe on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Small of Fryeburg, Mrs. Frances Millett, Mrs. Maude Millett, Lewiston, called on Mrs. Lula Buck last week.

Mrs. Joyce Lamb has been visiting her son, Joe, in London, England.

There were 23 members of West Paris Firemen's Auxiliary and West Paris Fire Department at the joint spaghetti supper held Monday evening at the fire station. After the supper annual meetings were held.

New officers for the year are: president, Diane Todd; secretary, Connie Bacon; treasurer, Marian Chase, in the firemen's auxiliary. Fund raisers were discussed. A dance will be held on April 27 at Locke Mills Legion Hall with music by the High Riders, and the annual food and rrmage sale in May.

The monthly meeting of the West Paris Historical Society will be held on Monday, Feb. 18, at the society hall. There will be a 6 p.m. potluck supper. Blaine Mills will show slides on Greenwood after the business meeting.

East Stoneham

— Gladys Kilgore, Corres. —

Friends and neighbors all express their sympathy to the family of Charles Hamilton who passed away Saturday while on a snowmobile trip.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Grant went to Lewiston Saturday. They visited Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Dougherty at Rusfield, Norway, on their way home. They found Mr. Dougherty much better.

Mr. and Mrs. Bradley Nelson and daughter, Christa, visited his mother over the week end.

The deacons of the church were hosts to 18 senior citizens and shut ins to a dinner at a restaurant on the North Lovell road. Transportation was furnished by Mrs. Inez Barker, the Rev. Miss Taylor and Mrs. Gineva Dudley. The dinner was extra good. Mrs. Vesta Nelson played several pieces on the piano and an afternoon of sociability was enjoyed by all.

A winter carnival is being planned for the week of the 17th by the young people. Most of the activities will be at the school house and the pond across from the store.

Mrs. Sheila Grover of East Waterford and Mrs. Lester Dean of West Stoneham are sponsoring it.

The state nurse was in town Friday, making calls.

The high winds and zero weather has kept my wild birds away from their feeders. The bluejays are the only ones to venture out.



ICY FUN: Davidson and Holden dormitories slipped and slid their way through the ice hockey portion of the inter-dorm competition that went on all weekend during Gould Academy's winter carnival. (Notice there are no ice skates.)



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A sunny but cold Friday and after getting the wash done and getting the groceries and doing a couple of other errands, we are glad to get home and in where it was warm. If that isn't a sign of getting old, I don't know what is. I remember when the cold weather didn't bother me at all and it wasn't very many years ago that I got out and went to work, cold or not. If you had ever tried to work at Cornwall's on some of the machines when it was only 36 degrees in the room you were working in, you would know what I mean.

It was much fun to try to keep one's fingers out of a sander or off a buffing wheel or off a saw blade at those temperatures, and that happened more than once, I can tell you that. We did it and didn't get so stiff and cold as we do now, just driving to town and doing errands.

After going to do the wash last week, I have decided that when I can find a good bargain in a washer, I am going to have one. I am allergic to tobacco smoke and you can't get a lot of smoke from others smoking cigarettes. You can't very well ask them to stop smoking, even when you know it would be better for their health, so I am looking for a good used automatic washer that I can get to do my wash at home.

Had thought of going to Franklin Grange on Monday night and then changed our minds as it was so cold. Didn't get to Pomona either, for the same reason. Guess we are getting splay as well as old not wanting to get out in the cold, winter, driving. Did get out on Tuesday to go to the doctor as I needed to see him badly, otherwise, we probably wouldn't have gone out then.

Wednesday, Russell tried something else for excitement. A long time ago, he had sent for things to learn weaving. He didn't remember just what he had until he hunted up the things and found he had the stuff to make a basket or two as well as instructions and so forth for weaving bottoms of chairs. He decided to try one of the baskets and found he could do it pretty good, so I don't know what he will try in the future, but we have a few chairs that could stand new bottoms and maybe he will get them done. It would be nice to see them with newly woven bottoms that didn't sag.

Thursday, I had an appointment down in South Paris, so went a little early and did a little shopping where they were having a sale. Got a few things, got my car filled with gas, went for my ap-

pointment and then back home again. Russell had been digging around in his things and found some more pictures, so put them into an album and some pieces from old papers Mother had kept and put them into a scrap book. It is always fun to look over old pictures and Russell can come up with some real witty sayings to go along with some of them. That makes it even more interesting to look to see what he has written by each picture.

I have spent my time sewing a little, crocheting some and help hold the cane straight the other day while Russell was weaving on the basket. It can tangle up very nicely, especially the small cane. It was fun to watch to see the making of the sewing basket, just the same.

I hope the snow doesn't drift too much with this wind blowing today, but it was blowing across the road in lots of places when we were coming home this forenoon. The wind seems to still be blowing, so expect it will drift some.

I look at the windows here in this room and wonder at the way the frost makes such pretty pictures even if it does make it look cold. It looks like leaves from the trees on these windows and other designs on other windows. It is amazing at the things one can see if they but look, even if it is only at a frosted window, or the way the snow drifts along a ridge along the road side. Some how the good Lord helps make beauty for us to see, if we but look, even in things we don't like to have around. We don't like to shovel the snow or have to clear off the roofs, but the way the snow is hanging onto a roof can amaze one, or an icicle hanging from some spot and the shape of it can make one stop to look at it. I like to look for these things in nature and wonder at the beauty of it and how it can possibly be so pretty.

Had a letter from Peggy in Florida not long ago and she said it was only 16 down there. You know I am wrong, that letter was from an old friend who is in Mt. Dora. Peggy did say that it was rather cold for a while, but a letter that came a few days ago said it was 80. That sounded better. They really got a cold snap there this winter, in different parts of Florida and it killed the fruit and vegetables. That makes it hard for all, when such things happen. It seems some times as though the world was turning around and they are getting a lot more cold than they used to. Who knows, what will happen next? Guess we will just have to wait and see and hope for the best.

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We, as snowmobile operators, understand that you, as landowners, have granted snowmobilers permission to cross your property, and we want you to know that we appreciate very much your consideration for our sport. Today there is a new generation of vehicle which has received considerable attention and we want you landowners to understand our position. These new vehicles are known as wheeled vehicles and your permission for snowmobilers has not authorized these wheeled vehicles to cross your property. We understand that should you desire to grant them permission, it is certainly your prerogative. We do, however, wish to hear your feelings on this matter. An informational meeting will be held Feb. 25 at 7 p.m. at the Woodstock Fire Department station in Bryant Pond for landowners and snowmobilers.

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"Chamber Music" was written by Arthur Kopit and involves a cast of ten students and is set in an insane asylum. Some of the interesting and dramatic roles include The Woman in the Safari Outfit, the Woman in the Armchair, the Women of the Gavel and the Aviator, Amelia Earhart.

"The Real Inspector Hound" was written by Tom Stoppard as a farce and includes a cast of eight characters. This "play within a play" involves two critics reviewing a play that involves a triangle affair then a quadrangle followed by a murder and even the critics get into the act.

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ter, Women's Aglow, the Praise
Assembly of God, the Woodstock,
Ill., First Baptist, and others who
prayed and praised that Jesus' he-
aling power might be unleashed in
me. Glory be to God for that
healing and for the care and con-
cern of His people everywhere.
God bless you all.
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OXFORD POMONA GRANGE MET AT OXFORD FEB. 5

Oxford Pomona Grange met with
Oxford subordinate Grange as hos-
tess to 51 members on Feb. 5. A
nice supper of beans, chop suey,
etc. was served buffet style.

Sick members were Gladys
Briggs, Lakeside Grange and Myr-
tle Bisbee. Cards were signed for
each.

C.W.A. reported that a work-
shop would be held Feb. 23 at 1
p.m. All C.W.A. members are
urged to attend this meeting that
will be held at Gail Butterfield's
at lower High Street, South Paris.
Please bring your kits.

Kliffy Davis, chairman of C.W.A.,
received a nice letter from Veter-
ans Administration thanking the
Grange for the Afghan that was
donated from last year's accom-
plishments.

May 7 Pomona held at West
Paris. Pot holders and sugar
cookies will be judged. The dresses
must be in by May 3 for judging.

Shop and Save supper will be
served at Oxford Grange hall April
16 for Oxford Pomona benefit.
Come one come all and enjoy the
goodies.

Edna Howes resigned her office
of Ceres as she wouldn't be able
to come always.

The Scholarship Committee an-
nounced that if our young college
students have been in school for
half a year and intend to go on,
they may apply for the scholarship
money by contacting Olive Davis,
Gail Butterfield and Clara Soucy.

The Junior Grange members put
on skits for the program. Those
taking part were Sarah Fredrick,
Becky Goddard, Brad Bisbie, Jo-
seph Newton. Sarah also spoke
'Casey at the Bat.' Terri Bisbie
was their leader. Francis Conant
spoke on membership drive, ur-
ging to procure new members. He
announced that a degree day would
be held at Oxford hall April 13,
beginning at 9:30. The 1st degree
would be conferred in the morn-
ing. The Junior Grange would sell
sandwiches etc. at noon and the
3rd and 4th degree would be con-
ferred in the afternoon. If any

ADULT ED./NTL TO SPONSOR GROUP PROCESS WORKSHOP MARCH 22 & 23

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nity Education program and NTL
Institute will co-sponsor a weekend
workshop on group process on
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Seashore of Washington, D.C. and
Bethel will be the instructors for
the Friday evening and Saturday
session. The workshop is titled
Dealing with People II, and is de-
signed for people who have partici-
pated in a previous group pro-
cess experience, such as the sem-
inars offered in March or Novem-
ber 1984, or in a summer NTL
lab, Adult and Community Educa-
tion Director Cathy Newell an-
nounced that the upcoming sem-
inar has been planned in response
to the requests for a more ad-
vanced class from those who par-
ticipated in the introductory ses-
sions. She further stated that a
seminar for those with no previ-
ous experience will be scheduled
for early summer. People who
have participated in training ab-
out how groups function and how
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SAD-NTL classes are welcome to
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on the Rocking Chair Slope. Teams will be made up of
those of us now in our 20's, 30's, 40's, 50's, and "senior citi-
zens." Official Class Alumni photos will be taken in front
of the South Ridge Centre at 3 p.m. Saturday and plans
are being made to feature an old favorite "Thunderjug" in
the lounge.

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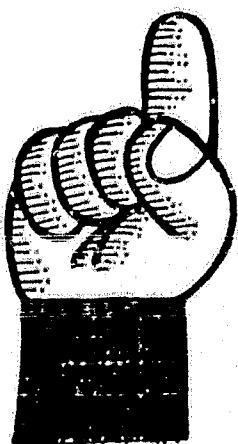
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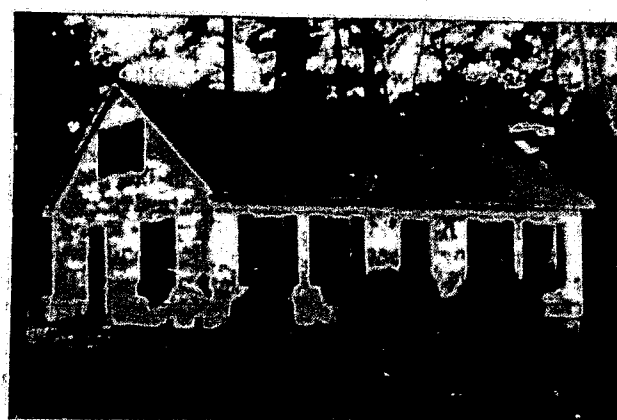
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"FOUR-POINTS" AT GOULD DURING FEBRUARY

Students at Gould Academy will embark on an ambitious program in February that will stretch imaginations and allow them to experience activities out of the ordinary, particularly for high school age students. Each class at Gould will be engaged in a different "Point," and the range of projects adds a "real world" component to the classroom experience.

The Senior "Point" is "Understanding" and the assignment is "peace-time uses of nuclear energy." Their goal is to increase awareness of this important and other controversial technology by hearing spirited, meaningful dialogue that goes beyond emotion and gets to the heart of the subject. Plans call for lectures and readings on nuclear engineering, technology and medicine, coupled with visits to various centers where they can get a first-hand look at principles in action.

Field trips include Dartmouth College, where college professors will talk about the economics of electricity generation using nuclear power, the nuclear waste disposal problem, and the health hazards of radioactivity; a visit to the Seabrook nuclear power plant in New Hampshire; the Harvard University cyclotron; M.I.T., for sessions on nuclear medicine and fusion research; and a visit to the Maine Yankee nuclear power plant in Wiscasset. A guest speaker series at Gould, open to the public, will complete the coverage on the Senior Point. It promises to be informative and of significant benefit to graduating seniors who will soon have to deal first-hand with the topic.

The Junior "Point" is Experience and involves the whole class in an eight-day "mini" Outward Bound course using the Hurricane Island Outward Bound School's staff and facilities in the nearby Sunday River Valley. Members of Gould's faculty will join the Outward Bound instructors in a snow-shoe and camping trip in the mountains of Maine's Mahoosuc Range.

Traditional Outward Bound components will include winter training, a solo, and final expedition. The combination of the Outward Bound mystique, Maine weather in February, and the participation of the entire junior class add up to an exciting project and the perfect combination for growth and discovery.

The Sophomore "Point" is Creativity. Here the primary emphasis will be on doing and making rather than understanding and appreciating. The faculty of Gould's Art Department along with other qualified faculty both from Gould and the outside community will join with the class in the creation process.

Plans call for the Dragon Dance Theatre to turn the sophomores into actors in an outside performance of St. George and the Dragon, using giant puppets; to work with guest artist and sculptor George Mellor on environmental sculpture; to view films on the creative process to work with visiting artists Gail Fraas and Duncan Slades and the Ram Island Dance Company; and to visit the Portland Museum of Art. This program is designed to correct the common impression that art is always found in museums. Working with the visiting artists, faculty and one another will offer rewards as well.

The Freshman "Point" is Service and will involve this class in learning about the community of Bethel in which Gould is located,

GOULD ACADEMY HONOR ROLL FOR FALL SEMESTER

The following Gould Academy students have achieved high honors and honors for the fall semester just completed.

Senior Class: High Honors — Jennifer Allen, Wolfville, N.S.; Michael Greifendorf, Rangeley; Michelle Prince, East Boothbay; Honors — Matthew Bevin, Shelburne, N.H.; James Feeney, Bethel; Martin Grohman, Dixfield; Brian Grover, Errol, N.H.; Heather Hill, Bethel; Katy Holden, Bethel; Eric Sahud, Peidmont, Calif.; Janet Sanborn, Gorham, N.H.; Ruth Wescott, North Bridgton.

Junior Class: High Honors — Anne Courchesne, Hampton Falls, N.H.; Jay Davis, Bethel; Leah Garnett, Newcastle; Barbara Ritter, Altensteig, West Germany; Honors — Matthew Cyr, Hanover; Erika Dresser, Bethel; Sallie Fiske, East Stoneham; Lauren Foster, Friendship; Patti Giles, Lincolnville; Nelson Hardigg, New Boston, N.H.; Jenna Hathaway, Somerset, Mass.; Karen Hawkes, Andover, Mass.; Carrie Moore, Nacagdoches, Tex.; Molly Moorhouse, Amherst, N.H.; Spencer Ordway, Bridgton; Andrew, Sahud, Piedmont, Calif.; Philip Tabor, East Corinth; Erika Tobin, Blue Hill.

Sophomore Class: High Honors — Derek Dresser, Bethel; Louis Smithwick, Memphis, Tenn. Honors — Melissa Ames, Hanover; Marcia Ancker, West Farmington; Matthew Baste, Isleboro; Timothy Bevin, Shelburne, N.H.; Elaine Bicknell, Lexington, Mass.; Emanuel Boos, Bourges, France; David Dixon, Bath; Timothy Hodsdon, Brownville; Susan Isham, Bethel; Jonathan Komlosy, Yarmouth; Molly Lauck, Portland; Eric Mader, Edgartown, Mass.; Gregory Ng, Los Angeles, Calif.; James Simbe, Los Angeles, Calif.; Heather Tobin, Blue Hill.

Freshman Class: High Honors — Rebecca Garnett, Newcastle. Honors — John Chasse, Damariscotta; Ruth Giles, Lincolnville; Bethany Hill, Bethel; Lisa Todd, Bethel.

through the eyes of its older citizens. Using techniques popularized in the "Foxfire" books, they will become acquainted with Bethel's senior citizens, and while assisting them in their daily tasks they will learn what these people have to offer based on their years of experience. The class will record much of this oral history on tape, paper, film and video, a valuable resource that will be very worthwhile to preserve for future study.

People of all walks of life will be involved and the range of experiences recorded should provide a broad spectrum of understanding for each student. Nine faculty members will assist the class in this project and it is expected that the relationships and friends formed during this week will continue to grow over the next three and a half years the students are at Gould.

Gould Academy Headmaster Bill Clough first announced this program to the parents of the students on Parents weekend in October, and the faculty has been fine-tuning the project ever since. The time period for the Four Points is Feb. 21 to 28, and the estimated cost for all four classes is \$38,000. A \$10,000 grant has already been received and parents have been asked to help subsidize some of the costs of the program. Additional funding will be a priority for the headmaster and development staff at Gould so that the Four Points do become a reality.

South Woodstock

— Olive Davis, Corres. —

Friday, Jan. 25, Richard Felt, Harold and Dot Canwell attended a Grange meeting at Presumscott Grange in Westbrook. Saturday night they were at Newry at Bear River Grange, where they aided the Grange in attendance.

Esther Davis, Ethel and Joyce Hathaway returned from Florida Saturday where they spent two weeks vacationing. The first week was reported as cold but the second week as usual. They enjoyed their trip and took in many sights while there.

Mr. and Mrs. Ellsworth Hathaway, Mr. and Mrs. Erland Twitchell and Esther Davis took dinner Sunday evening with Olive Davis.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Brooks, Katy Billings, Richard Felt and Florence Gustofson attended the postponed meeting of Franklin Grange Feb. 4. Oh, I attended, too, from down this way.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Brooks, Olive Davis, Florence Gustofson and Richard Felt went to Oxford Tuesday night to attend Oxford Pomo-na.

I saw Mr. Gray Squirrel on the feed station Grandhog day but no Groundhog came out around here.

The squirrel made some queer tracks. They were quite baffling as he went through three trees leaving no tracks. He went back the same way and jumped off the limb eight feet from the tree

West Greenwood

— Carolyn M. Colby, Corres. —

Steve, Paula and Jennifer Wilson of Bangor spent a few days with his mother, Gloria Wilson, Bethel. They were out to see Irene, Monday.

We were all relieved that no one was hurt in the fender bender on the hill Saturday, when the mail-lady slid into a log truck near Maude Harrington's driveway.

Have you seen the latest issue of the Yankee Magazine? There is a story about Wilson's Mills and another about the game warden at Errol, N. H. Both are good.

We went out to dinner in Norway, Sunday. It's only the second time I've been out of Bethel since before Christmas.

"One thing about snow. It makes your lawn look as good as your neighbors."

so there were no tracks for eight feet from the tree. No, I didn't see him do it but what else would accomplish this feat but a grey squirrel?

I hope some one will call some news in this next week. We should be coming out of hibernation now.

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West Bethel

Ensign and Mrs. Joseph Erskine visited a few days with her parents, Gilbert and Junita Haines. He has completed Officers School in Newport, R.I., and will be stationed in Charleston, S.C. Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Davis hosted a pot-luck supper for them with family and friends before leaving.

Mrs. Jody Haines Deegan of Bethel is enrolled in Saint Joseph College in Windham studying for her BSN. She is also employed at Androscoggin Valley Hospital in Berlin, N.H.

North East Lovell

— Pauline Smith, Corres. —

Barbara Lemay and Pauline Smith visited Hazel Allen this week. She is some better but still real weak.

Callers at Iva and Fred Fox's, Sunday: Paul, Iva and Kevin Fox of Monmouth; Michael, Albert and Mary Fox, Michael, Josh, Rose Mary, of Bath, Peter Fox and family, Stephen Fox and family, Larry, Bonnie and boys, Linda Neal and Scottie Allen of Waterford.

Leroy and Pauline Smith were in Norway, Monday, shopping and called on their daughter, Carolyn Knight.

Glen and Clara Moor visited at their Smiths.

Richard Jones and Marilyn of Norway called at Iva Fox's and Roy Smith's.

Our sympathy is with the family of Charles (Chub) Hamilton, who passed away recently.

Benefit supper at the Center Lovell Church Vestry for the benefit of the firemen, took in around \$500.

Mrs. Irma Kimball of Lovell Village is in the Brighton hospital.

Very cold, birds are feeding as if it was their last meal.

Larry Fox has been cutting wood and birch for his brother, Albert.

Thanks to our nephews, Fred and Larry Fox, our chimney has been cleaned out. Some good when you can have a fire.

Mr. and Mrs. Larry Fox and boys, Iva Fox, went to a birthday party given by Linda Allen, twin to Larry.

A man said, even the black flies are better than this.

Bryant Pond

— Mrs. Alice F. Hoyt, Corres. —

Franklin Grange #124 met for a regular meeting on Monday, Feb. 4 with 20 present. Leroy Day was presented with his 50 year certificate by Master Richard Felt. Several things in the ritualistic work were discussed and practiced. Program on deaf was given. Song by all; roll call with each one telling what we can do to help people hear better; closing thought; closing song. Next meeting is Feb. 18.

Saturday, Feb. 16 from 9 to 12 noon will be a sliding party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Davis for the Baptist Sunday School children and Awana children. Please bring your own sleds. Lunch will be provided. Storm date: Monday, Feb. 18.

Monday, Feb. 18, Franklin Grange will meet for a regular meeting. Patriotism and Valentines will be the program.

Beatrice Farnum was Sunday dinner guest of her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. John Chase, Locke Mills.

Althea Stevens and children, Keith, Jennifer and Daniel, visited their grandmother, Mrs. Beatrice Farnum on Saturday.

Ray Crockett visited his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Hoyt on Saturday, Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. David Crockett and Ray were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ken Hoyt.

The Woodstock Senior Citizens had a good attendance at their meeting last Thursday.

The Woodstock Extension will meet on Feb. 20 for a meeting and dinner at Barbara Hathaway's. International dinner is the program.

ELEANOR GORDON GUILD
The Eleanor Gordon Guild will meet Tuesday night, Feb. 19, at 7:30 at the home of Judy Barker. Cindy Blake will have devotions. Members are to bring items for a silent auction.

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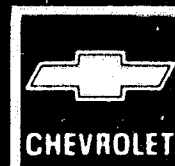
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TWO POINTS: Ken Viger sinks a two-pointer in their Feb. 2 losing effort against Freeport. The Rebels ended their season last week.

THIS WEEK AT THE MOSES MASON HOUSE

Three films, all about Maine, were the featured presentation at the Bethel Historical Society's monthly meeting held Feb. 7 in the meeting room of the Dr. Moses Mason House. More than 60 persons braved very cold weather to attend the traditional historical film festival held each year at the February monthly meeting. The first film, "Dawn of America" focused on the early history of Maine, the first explorers, relations between French and English and Indians and whites. The second film show, "Winslow Homer in Maine" dealt with the career of one of America's most famous artists, who established a studio at Prout's Neck and spent many years observing and painting the sea. The third film was concerned with the career of Holman Francis Day as a film maker in the early 1920's. Day of course is still famous as a Maine writer but less well-known as a film-maker. This film explores that career and the reasons why success eluded him in this pursuit.

During the business portion of the meeting president Alden Kennett announced that the next meeting of the Society would be held on March 7 and be the annual Collector's Night. A slide-tape presentation will be featured entitled "Crocks, Jugs and Jars" which will be the theme for this year's program. Anyone having interesting crocks, jugs or jars from the past is encouraged to bring them to this meeting. President Kennett also announced that the acquisition of the month was Alfred Howard's "History of Hanover" which has just been published. The president also announced that the Society's annual Heritage Day will be held on the traditional Feb. 22 from 1 to 5 p.m. in the meeting room and throughout the museum. Craft exhibits and demonstrations, historical film series, an art show, special museum tours with Indian pudding served from the fireplace of the winter kitchen, plus a cherry pie eating contest will be featured. Society Director Stanley Howe announced that the winter newsletter is expected to be mailed out soon and that information on Chapman Street was needed since the April meeting will focus on the history of that street. Director Howe requested that anyone having photographs, artifacts or memories concerned with the history of the street is requested to call the Society office or Don and Arlene Brown, 824-2149. Following the films, Special Projects Chairman Persis Post read several quotations relating to various presidents of the United States born in February: George Washington, Abraham Lincoln, William Henry Harrison and Ronald Reagan. Refreshments focused upon a Valentine Day theme.

Magalloway & Wilson's MILLS

Alice Harvey, Corres.

Kathy Westover, R.N., of Lancaster, N.H., visited with Donna Glover on Monday. Carlene Hinkley was down with the flu several days last week. Glen and Eleanor White visited with Eleanor's mother in Stratton on Thursday. They were also in Farmington for some shopping. On the way home they stopped in Phillips and called on Glen's brother, Stanton. Liz Glover was at the Anderson home in Littleton, N.H., for the weekend. L.J. Bragg spent the weekend in Berlin with his sister, Barbie Linkenback and family. Dianne Dellolio left on Wednesday to visit friends in Washington, D.C., returning home on Monday. Clifford Glover was in Tamworth during the weekend. Andy and Lucy West and boys

T.T.A.E.R.S. News

(Tri-Town Ambulance & Emergency Rescue Service)

Tri-Town Rescue had their annual meeting Tuesday night with a potluck dinner and election of officers. The following officers were elected for the 1985 year: Board of Directors: Christine Hefley, coordinator; Connie Bacon, secretary; Richard Walker, treasurer.

Ambulance Personnel officers: Mary Emery, chief; Susan Litchfield, assistant chief; Jane Chandler, training officer; Ken Bacon, communications officer; Shirley Koskela, supply officer; Floyd Hurd, vehicle officer; Warren Emery, housing officer; and Joyce Howe, ambulance secretary.

Auxiliary officers: Mildred York, president; Elizabeth Cummings, vice president; Wilda Henry, secretary; and Kay Hakala, treasurer.

Search and Rescue officers: Dorene Benson, team leader; Ken Bacon, assistant team leader; Jane Chandler, training officer; and Jim Burke, secretary.

Search and Rescue was voted in as a separate branch of Tri-Town Rescue. People interested in joining may come to the next meeting at the West Paris Fire Station at 7 p.m. Tuesday, Feb. 19.

Safety Tip of the Week:

There has been a lot of talk about mandatory seat belts in this state and other states. Maine already requires children up to four-years-old to be fastened in a child-restraint seat. A member of the state statistical analysis group on highway accidents once reported that he had never seen a seat belt removed from a dead person in an accident. (In other words in his 15 years on the job no one had been killed in an accident that was wearing a seat belt.) Seat belts don't prevent accidents, they just reduce the injury should there happen to be one. Do we take better care of our children than we do ourselves? It only takes a minute to buckle up—isn't that minute worth it to save a life?

NOTES FROM WOODSTOCK HISTORICAL SOCIETY

Consider the following description of Valentine's Day nearly two hundred years ago by Charles Lamb:

"This is the day on which those charming missives called Valentines, cross and intercross each other at every street and turning. The weary and all forspent two penny postman sinks beneath a load of delicate embarrassments, not his own. It is scarcely credible to what an extent this ephemeral courtship is carried on in this loving town, to the great enrichment of porters, and the detriment of knockers and doorbells. The bestirred and bleeding heart—that little three-cornered exponent of all our hopes and fears—it is twisted and tortured into more allegories and affectations than an opera hat. What authority we have in history or mythology for placing the head-quarters and metropolis of God Cupid in this anatomical seat rather than in any other is not very clear; but we have got it, and it will serve as well as any other. Custom has settled these things and awarded the seat of sentiment to the aforesaid triangle."

Mansfield Packard provided a program of old-time stories at the last society meeting. Members all commented favorably on the museum renovations. A map of Woodstock, England, was donated to the society by the town office. Mansfield Packard and Larry Billings made donations. General refreshments concluded the evening.

TELSTAR JV BOYS TROUNCE DIRIGO FROSH IN FINALE

Telstar's JV boys' basketball team finished the season in winning form, trouncing the Dirigo freshmen, 62-30.

It was as if the JVs were making up for the frustrations of a long and losing season, and the Dirigo frosh just happened to be the hapless opponent. The season-ending win gave the young Rebels a season record of one win against 16 losses.

Coach Dan Hart single out the play of Jeff Rainey, who finished with 15 points, Matt York, 14, and Alec Newell in the satisfying win.

CARD OF THANKS

I would like to thank everyone for their cards, flowers, food and for their support. I am proud to live in a town where people are sincerely concerned for one another. I'm lucky to have so many neighbors and friends. Everyone has been so caring and it does make a difference. Thank you all.

Malinda Seames



TAGGING UP: Telstar's Nancy Miller tags teammate Rick Bodwell to send him on his way in the February 2 Telstar Relays. The two were part of a five-member team that finished third among 18 competing teams.

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Rotary Club News

The Bethel Rotary Club held its regular luncheon meeting on Feb. 12 at the South Ridge Base Lodge of the Sunday River Skiway. The program chairman was Les Otten and his program consisted of a talk about the physical make-up of the facilities. He then gave the group a tour of the Cascades condominiums and a visit to the pump house that is the heart of the snowmaking system for the mountain. It was a very interesting tour of a very large operation.

For several of the Rotarians present this was a first time introduction on site, at the skiway, and a memorable experience. Everyone enjoyed the program. Thanks Les for a job well done.

The club will be back at the Sudbury Inn for next week's meeting.

Special Agent Jim Greenleaf, FBI, will address the club. Also it will be installation time for two new members, Roy Silver, a long-time Rotarian, now residing in this area, and Bernie Wideman, publisher of the Bethel Citizen.

Community Service Award nomination forms were distributed to each Rotarian present by President Jim. Every Rotarian will have the opportunity to recommend a person, or persons, deemed most deserving of the award. The recommendations will be evaluated at the next board of directors meeting in March 1985.

Gilead

Louise Loring, Corres.

Rare love can be likened to a precious jewel. Many facets—as is a diamond. Each one of us gathers many jewels of love's gem-stones. As we walk the "Path of Life" Love of a mother, a child, a sibling, a friend, a spouse. It's setting. A dusty crown-bruised by everyday living. Sometimes treated carelessly and crushed by life's sorrows.

So—Each jewel we wear must be well-guarded and kept polished—For its total brilliance to be appreciated—long lasting, enduring.

Therefore—Join me in a toast—Raise your voices and glasses "To Love" "To Lovers Everywhere."

And—Most importantly—to Him above—who loves all of us "Just as we are!"

Have a special Valentine's Day and Peace everyone!

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Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Chapman attended a Community Alcohol and Drug Education Team information meeting in Bethel. This group sponsors Project Graduation, and benefits the community self-help groups, and directs people to the correct helping hands.

Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Morin were at her parents home one day last week to celebrate her 19th birthday.

Locke Mills

Mrs. John Mills, Corres.

On Monday, Feb. 18, a Washington's Birthday breakfast will be served at the Union Church from 7 to 10 a.m. The menu will consist of juice, scrambled eggs, bacon, sausage, biscuits and jam and beverages.

The Youth Group will enjoy an afternoon of cross country skiing on Saturday, Feb. 23.

Everyone is invited to attend a hymn sing Sunday, Feb. 24, at 7 p.m. at the church.

Feb. 27 the members of the Ladies Circle are invited to a luncheon and film at noon at the West Parish Congregational Church. Those planning to attend are asked to call Margery Swan by Friday, Feb. 15.

Bible study will resume March 7 and all are welcome to attend.

The church choir had a chicken fricassee supper Saturday, 37 75 attending. Proceeds were \$173.97 which will enable the choir to finish paying for their robes.

Margery Swan, Rev. Caldwell, Marlon Parker, Nancy Cross and Maggie Ring attended the leadership convocation in Portland Sunday. Each is expected to give a report Sunday during worship service.

Greenwood Fire Department will hold a training session, Tuesday, Feb. 19, at 6:30 p.m.

Mrs. Lorraine Mills accompanied Linda Gibbs, Heather, Tracey and Jeremy to Norway Monday, where Jeremy had his first year grocery shopping.

Danielle Bernier, who had to undergo more surgery last week due to complications from a ruptured appendix, was improving slowly as of Sunday at Stephens Memorial Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. John Mills visited Jimmy Cobb at Stephens Memorial Hospital last Wednesday. He has since returned home and is progressing satisfactorily.

day, with a family gathering.

Fernand Corriveau Sr., celebrated his birthday last Saturday, with all the children present at a family gathering.

Scott Newton of West Bethel spent the weekend with Fred Corriveau.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Kelly of Norwood, Mass., were at their camp above town this past weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Perry of Concord, N.H., visited Mr. and Mrs. Leo Belanger. While here they all shopped in Portland and Portsmouth, N.H.

Mr. and Mrs. Roger Corriveau II held a birthday party for their daughter, Chrystal, who is two, at group sponsors Project Graduation, and benefits the community self-help groups, and directs people to the correct helping hands.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Legendre of the Bog Road, were at the Maine Medical Center, at Leo's doctor's week to celebrate her 19th birthday.

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SM/SGT. RAYMOND BRYANT

SM/Sgt. Raymond K. (Dane) Bryant, (Ret.) of Hermon, died Tuesday, Feb. 12, 1985, at a Bangor hospital.

He was born in Woodstock, Sept. 26, 1918, the son of Lester D. and Elsie Herick Bryant. Sgt. Bryant began his military career in 1940 with the Air Corps, with combat in the Italian campaign, and was discharged in 1946. After service with the Army Guard, he joined the Air Guard and had served in education and training duties most of his career.

He received the Air Force commendation medal in recognition of the outstanding management practices he implemented. He was a member of Jefferson Lodge of Bryant Pond. He was also an avid hunter and fisherman and was involved with the Boy Scout troop in Hermon for many years. Sgt. Bryant retired from ANG in December 1976.

He is survived by his mother of Bryant Pond; his wife, Helen Johnson Bryant of Hermon; one daughter, Mrs. Jeffrey (Gail) Guesman of Riverhead, N.Y.; one son, William C. Bryant of Bangor; and one sister, Louise Loring of Gilead.

A funeral service was held this Thursday morning at Brookings-Smith, Bangor with Rev. Maurice Amott and Rev. John T. Hoelter officiating.

Funeral services will also be held at 11 a.m. Friday at Andrews Funeral Home, in South Woodstock, with Rev. Linwood Hanson and Rev. Roland Lord officiating. Spring interment will be at Riverside Cemetery, Bryant Pond.

MRS. RUTH E. DAIGNEAULT

Mrs. Ruth E. Daigneault of West Paris, died Tuesday, Feb. 12, at the Ledgeview Memorial Home in West Paris after a long period of failing health.

Born at South Paris, Feb. 14, 1898, she was the daughter of Joseph and Elizabeth Clinch Henry. She was educated in Paris and Canton schools and was married to Noel (Pete) Daigneault. He died in 1958 from burns received while burning blueberry bushes at the Merrill Blueberry Farm on Bear Mountain in Hartford. Mrs. Daigneault was a homemaker and had worked with her husband during blueberry season at the Merrill Farm. She was a member of the Canton Senior Citizens, the AARP association, and the Baptist Church of Canton.

One sister, Mrs. Philamelia Stewart of Oxford, survives. Funeral services will be held Friday at 1 p.m. at Andrews Funeral Home, in Springfield, with interment in the buck at Pine Grove Cemetery, Canton.

MRS. PEARL N. WHEELER

Pearl N. Wheeler, 68, of Commercial Street, Rockport, died Saturday, Feb. 9, 1985, at a Rockport hospital.

She was the wife of Earllyn "Stubby" Wheeler. Earllyn is the brother of Edward "Stubby" Wheeler of Bethel.

Mrs. Wheeler was born in Hope, a daughter of James and Marion Moody Nash. She attended Hope schools and graduated from Camden High School.

Mrs. Wheeler was a homemaker. She is survived by her parents of Camden; her husband of Rockport; a son, Peter, of North Reading, Mass.; a daughter, Mrs. John Pike of Union; a brother, George Nash of Camden; and six grandchildren.

A private family service was held Monday at the Laite Funeral Home in Camden, with Bishop Stephen Beveridge officiating. Spring interment will be in the Pine Grove Cemetery, West Bethel.



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MRS. STEPHANIE G. THURSTON

Mrs. Stephanie G. Thurston of Bethel died Sunday, Feb. 10, 1985, shortly after arrival at the Stephens Memorial Hospital, Norway.

Born at Rumford on Oct. 24, 1914, she was the daughter of Charles and Petrohele Greekiss Gubis. A 1934 graduate of Stephens High School in Rumford, she married Floyd H. Thurston of Bethel on Sept. 15, 1940, and lived in Bethel for the past 45 years. She was employed for over 40 years as a bookkeeper at the L.E. Davis Lumber Co. in Bethel and retired in June of 1984. At the time of her death, she was serving as treasurer of the Mundt-Allen Unit, American Legion Auxiliary, Bethel.

Mrs. Thurston is survived by her husband of Bethel; one sister, Mrs. Leo (Eleanor) Marsanskis of Daytona Beach, Fla.; and several nieces and nephews.

Funeral services were held Wednesday afternoon at the Greenleaf Funeral Home. Entombment was at the Riverside Receiving Vault with burial in the spring at Riverside Cemetery in Bethel.

MRS. CHRISTINE C. RIGGS

Mrs. Christine C. Riggs of Andover, died Saturday, Feb. 9, 1985, at the Rumford Community Hospital where she had been a patient for two weeks.

Born in Rumford on April 13, 1916, she was the daughter of Domenic and Maria Ciccarelli Conti and attended Rumford Schools. For the last 10 years she has lived in Andover with her daughter, Mrs. Otis Morton. Before that she lived in Mexico for many years. On Nov. 20, 1932, she married Clyde Riggs in Rumford. He died July 7, 1971 in Rumford. Mrs. Riggs was a communicant of St. Athanasius-St. John Church.

Surviving are three daughters, Mrs. Francis (Shirley) Trembley of Brooklyn, Conn.; Mrs. Violet (Carol) Morton of Andover; one son, Charles H. Riggs of Mexico; one brother, Lundy Conti of Rumford; three sisters, Mrs. Horace (Josephine) Farris and Mrs. Charles (Annie) Barry, both of Brunswick and Mrs. Antoinette Parrelli of Worcester, Mass.; 18 grandchildren and 12 great grandchildren.

A Mass of Christian Burial was celebrated Tuesday morning at St. Athanasius Church, Rumford. Interment will be in the spring at Pleasant Hill Cemetery, Livermore Falls.

CHILDREN OF THE ELDERLY

A newly formed Alzheimers family support group met at the Bethel Area Health Center on Tuesday, Jan. 29. This group is a "spin-off" from an informational meeting that had been held earlier at Telstar Regional High School.

Alzheimers is the fourth leading cause of death in this country. It accounts for the majority of patients in nursing homes and it can strike healthy people as young as 40.

Watching a loved one fade away into oblivion is devastating. Not knowing the cause, but knowing there is no treatment, is a living hell. Pre-senile and senile dementias may just be medical terms to banter about, but what if you could not feed yourself, dress yourself, even remember your own name, let alone the names of your loved ones, and you were only in your 50's? This is Alzheimers—a progressive, irreversible brain disease.

This group is to help support the families of Alzheimers' patients by getting together to share thoughts and experiences—just to listen—or whatever, and finding out that you are not alone in this situation. Hopefully this will help relieve some of the frustration and helplessness that everyone feels at times. There is a lot to learn from one another.

It is hoped to have speakers concerning different aspects of Alz-

DIED

In Norway, Feb. 10, Mrs. Stephanie G. Thurston of Bethel, aged 70 years.

In Rumford, Feb. 9, Mrs. Christine C. Riggs of Andover, aged 68 years.

In Rockport, Feb. 9, Mrs. Pearl N. Wheeler (wife of Earllyn Wheeler, formerly of Bethel), aged 68 years.

In Bangor, Feb. 12, SM/Sgt. Raymond K. (Dane) Bryant of Hermon, native of Woodstock, aged 66 years.

In West Paris, Feb. 12, Mrs. Ruth Daigneault, aged 86 years.

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Telstar basketball teams set to play in new league

Telstar Regional High School will likely be in a new interscholastic athletic league come next school year—at least for basketball.

Athletic Director Carroll Higgins told The Citizen the new league, which has not yet been formally named, will have seven teams, including Telstar. The others are Sacopee Valley, Yarmouth, Old Orchard Beach, Falmouth, and St. Doms.

Aside from Telstar and St. Doms, the other schools had all been members of the Triple C League or the Cumberland County League and had been getting walloped by the B schools in those leagues. Therefore they were anxious to form a league with similar C schools, explained Mr. Higgins.

The principal of Sacopee Valley, Larry Lord, was the initiator of the formation of the new league, Mr. Higgins said.

He met Tuesday at Sacopee with his counterparts from the other schools to work out schedules for next winter's basketball games. While some of the games will require more travel than games on past schedules, Mr. Higgins said most of these distant games, such as Freeport and Old Orchard Beach, will be played on Fridays or Saturdays.

Telstar has played most of the teams in the past, except for Old Orchard and Falmouth. In order to make room on the present schedule for the new opponents, Telstar will have to drop two present opponents—probably Caribee and Leavitt, Mr. Higgins said.

Telstar's basketball coaches are pleased with the prospect of having their teams play in the new league. Boys' coach Bill Caddigan said, "It'd be good to be in a league." Girls' coach Jim Lunney said, "Going down to Triple C will give us a league to play in and a championship to shoot for. I think we'll be competitive in the league." He looks for Old Orchard Beach and Falmouth to be the league leaders in girls' competition.

11th ANNUAL HERITAGE DAY

TO BE HELD FEBRUARY 22

The 11th annual Heritage Day will be held on Friday, Feb. 22, from 1 to 5 p.m. in the meeting room of the Dr. Moses Mason House. The Dr. Moses Mason Museum will also be open and special tours will be featured with Indian pudding being served from the fireplace of the winter kitchen. A wide variety of craft demonstrations and exhibits are planned for the meeting room and throughout the museum. An art show featuring the work of local artists will also be a special attraction. Four films "Dawn of America," "Wine-low Homer in Maine," "Maine Lumberjack Holiday" and "On The Road in Maine" will also be continuously shown. A cherry pie eating contest will also be featured beginning at 3 p.m. and open to students under 18 years of age. Anyone wishing further details, should call the office of the Bethel Historical Society at 824-2908.

Alzheimers and related diseases as the group progresses. Anyone interested is welcome to attend this support group which will meet on Feb. 26, at L.M. Longley, 106 Main Street, Norway, at 7:15 p.m.

**NEWRY SELECTMEN MEET WITH LEGISLATORS AND SKIWAY OWNER**

The Newry Selectmen met with Senator Edgar Erwin, Rep. Jeff Mills and Les Otten manager-owner of the Sunday River Skiway, Monday afternoon, Feb. 4, to discuss the possibility of getting state funds to help rebuild a section of the skiway access road.

Mr. Otten pointed out that the skiway was one of the fastest growing industries in the area and an economic boom to this locality. During the season traffic is very heavy on the road, part of which is in need of repair. It was suggested that a traffic count might be made on the road. Otten agreed to furnish Erwin and Mills with figures, as to the number of condominiums, the amount of business, etc. Erwin and Mills agreed to look into the matter with D.O.T. officials.

Often briefly discussed plans for future development at the skiway. A maintenance garage and a large pond, approved by the planning board last year but not built, are scheduled for construction this year. Also under consideration are another 60 four unit condominiums and a building with 28 condominium units upstairs and rental spaces for businesses on the ground floor.

Several area businesses have ex-

pressed an interest in having branches of their businesses at the skiway, such as ski shops, restaurants, grocery stores, etc. Otten stated that the skiway had been making soil tests on some of the land owned by the skiway, and after testing less than 25 percent of the available area they had found area enough to build up to 1,000 more one bedroom condominium units.

Mr. and Mrs. Ivory Currier flew to Florida on Feb. 5 for a visit with their nephew, John Currier and family in Boca Raton. Their children, Eddie Currier and Rosalie Anderson accompanied them to the Portland airport.

Rev. Barry Beverage, former pastor of the Bethel Church of the Nazarene, is recuperating at his home following gall bladder surgery. For those wishing to send a card, his address is 7 Forest St., Nazarene Parsonage, Pittsfield, Maine 04967.

Ted, Rachel, Shelby, and Josie McKnight, Plattsburgh AFB, N.Y., stopped for lunch at the home of Rachel's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Keniston, Tuesday, while enroute to Hermon for a visit and skiing vacation with Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Bangs and children.

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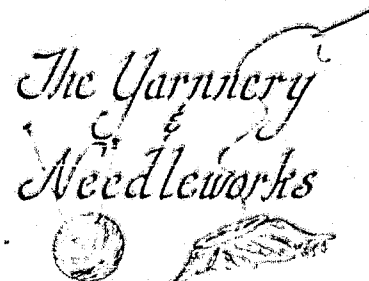
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BETHEL OUTING CLUB HOSTS "BETHEL NORDICS"

The Bethel Outing Club, and co-sponsors Excel, Inc., and Peltonen Racing Skis, hosted the "Bethel Nordics," a major cross-country ski racing day, last Sunday, at Gould Academy. The competition was the last in a series of six United States Ski Association (USSA) Junior and Senior qualifying races throughout the northeast, leading to the selection of skiers to represent the Eastern Nordic Ski Teams at their respective national championships in March. The event is sanctioned by and is part of a development program of the USSA.

In the Junior II girls, over the 5.8 kilometers, first place finisher was Kerrin Petty, of Stratton, Vt., in a time of 21 minutes, 10 seconds. In fifth place was Kirsten Froberg of the Nansan Ski Club, Berlin, N.H. (formerly of Bethel), with time of 23:51.

In Junior I girls Kristanya Ryan of the CMRS Club of Vermont was first, in 21:31.

Class III Boys: 5. Brant Remington, Bethel, 22:32; 6. Jon Martin, Pineland (Andover), 23:00; 7. Kevin Davis, Bethel, 24:10; 8. Dean Angvine, Bethel, 28:58; 9. Danny Kuzyk, Bethel, 34:55.

Class IV Boys: 8. Matt Arsenault, 22:38; Class IV Girls, 2. Kristen Powell, 20:09.

Participants in the Bethel Bill Koch League races Sunday at Gould Academy, included, from Lollipop II, Elizabeth Kuzyk; Class V Boys, 9. Tim Remington, 19:06; Class V Girls, 3. Rebekka Kuzyk, 17:09; Class IV Boys, 8. Matt Arsenault, 22:38; Class IV Girls, 2. Kristen Powell, 20:09.

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